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## GRAYLING WINS FROM VANDERBILT

TEAM LOOKS PROMISING FOR SUCCESSFUL SEASON.

The first game of basket ball of the season was played between the high school teams of Grayling and Vanderbilt Friday night of last week. It was a good game to look at although greatly one-sided, Grayling winning by a score of 40 to 11, according to the official record.

At the end of the first half the score stood 8 to 2 in favor of Grayling. Both teams did better in Grayling in the second period, but Grayling running away with the visitors. The ball was kept largely in home territory while the visitors were confined largely to long shots, resulting with little effect. Perry for Vanderbilt made one basket from the center of the court. It was a fine shot. The visitors failed in a number of attempts at the basket. Vanderbilt had a good team but the excellent training the Grayling quintette has been getting under Coach Morrow has put the players in good form, and we have reason to believe that they will win most of their games this season. Their passing was unusually good considering that this was their first game of the season.

The players and the scores made by them are as follows:

GRAYLING.  
A. Smith, Center, 4 field baskets;  
2 out of 3 free throws.  
E. Brown, Forward, 7 field baskets.  
Landsberg, Forward, 5 field baskets.  
McPhee, Guard, 1 field basket.  
Taylor, Guard.

SUBSTITUTES.  
Brenner, for Landsberg.  
Landsberg, for Brenner.  
Melsen, for Landsberg, 1 field basket.  
VANDERBILT.  
L. Perry, Forward, 4 field baskets, 1 out of 3 free throws.

## WILL TALK OF TOO MUCH GOVERNMENT

FORMER FORD ADVERTISING MANAGER TO HEAD OF BOARD OF TRADE SPEAKERS.

December Banquet to be held in Board of Trade Rooms, Thursday Dec. 15.

The officers of the Board of Trade are rejoicing because of having secured C. A. Brownell as their principal speaker. His subject will be "Too Much Government."

We are sure the men of Grayling will want to hear what Mr. Brownell has to say on that subject. Certainly there seems to be too much government and perhaps Mr. Brownell will be able to tell what can be done to remedy this expensive, tax-producing, and time-consuming situation. He has delivered this lecture before commercial and rotary clubs in many of our large cities. He recently gave this address before the Rotary club of Cincinnati and the Commercial Tribune of that city gave him a nice notice.

Mr. Brownell was for a long period of years the Ford sales manager, and recently when he resigned, he is now the vice president of the Wildman Rubber company of Bay City.

The banquet will be held Thursday evening December 15, at 6:00 o'clock. Tickets will be on sale soon.

## Junior Carnival

December 2

FUN! FUN!! FUN!!!

School Gymnasium  
7:30 p. m. 10 Cents

All sorts of things for entertainment at the Carnival, as well as a Christmas gift booth, Bake booth and Candy booth.

McCalls have made a fine offer to the Junior class for securing subscriptions to their magazine. Subscribe through them Friday night and help them make good.

Buy a bar of the soap made by the General Science Class of G. H. S. Friday night. It has been on display at Lewis' drug store for the last week and we are sure it will please you.

## Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. BAILEY  
County Agricultural Agent

A Magician of the Soil.  
Martin Jagosh.

When we were young we liked tales of wizards and magicians. The Arabian Nights, with its stories of "Aladdin and His Lamp," by which he worked magic seemed to be the real thing.

As we grew older we learned that there is no such thing as magic, and were disappointed.

However, if there is no magic in the sense of the fascinating tales of long ago, things happen now, just as fascinating to the observant and the thoughtful.

It is little short of magic, how they extract various substances from dead cordwood at the du Pont works.

It is magical to pour a gallon of water colored gasoline into a man-devised thing and have at our command the power of several horses, long continued.

It thrills like magic to see one man enter the forest with hands bare but for an ax, and to cause it to disappear, and painted buildings, fine cattle, and large crops to appear in a few years in its place.

As we applaud the magician on the stage, in justice let us applaud the living workers of magic with the soil.

Martin Jagosh, our neighbor over by Higgins Lake, can work magic with the soil, and the tricks that he can do with it are worth paying quite an admission fee to see.

A native of Bohemia, he began on his farm eleven years ago without a dollar, encumbered with a debt from another farming enterprise.

He had the land to clear and pay for; living to make; seed, stock, and tools to buy; buildings to erect. Other tasks have awaited him in the same way, but few have got so far so soon.

In eleven short years Martin has achieved a nice painted house in a grove; good team; tools; auto; milk; eleven cows; and decorated his farm this summer with a splendid, great barn, on cement foundation, with shingled roof, and ventilator; and painted a good, warm red. Cement floors and mangers help him in care of all those cows.

Mind you, the barn is planned to have a silo put on soon, and a root cellar.

Do you suppose liquid manure is wasted? Not on your life! Martin knows it is liquid gold, and he let no gold soak away on his farm.

The day I was there, not long ago Martin was hauling this solid and liquid gold and lending it to the land to be paid back with interest. He was hauling the solid, sprinkled with the liquid, onto a sod, to be promptly fall plowed.

This gets next spring's work done, settles the soil, and kills many insect pests.

Even the best magicians look around and learn tricks of other magicians, and even try to improve on them.

Even the great magician, Houdini, studied tricks in India several years. Good magicians have always been open minded, ready and quick to grab a new trick from others of the same profession.

So Martin Jagosh, like other good farmers, magicians of the soil, has learned a lot by experience, as all should do, but has not depended on experience alone; but has grabbed up tricks of the soil wherever he saw them well performed.

Martin is open minded about this farm stuff. You don't have to talk your head off, or run the risk of being kicked off the place if you begin to talk about progress in farming. It sounds good to him.

Where does he get the feed for all those cows I said he milked? Grow it.

Do you think he has a heavy clay loam to grow it on? Forget it, neighbor; nothing of the kind. That soil must be handled with care, and it gets that kind of handling.

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## WOMANS CLUB CONCERT DEC. 6

The concert to be given for the benefit of the Christmas charity fund of the Women's club, at the School gymnasium Tuesday evening, Dec. 6, under direction of Mrs. Daniel Custer, will present the following program:

PROGRAM.  
Lucille Campbell Custer, soloist.  
Edith McPhee, Pianist.

Part One.  
Canzonetta—Schuetz.  
Pizzicato from Sylvia—Delibes.  
Miss McPhee.  
My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair—Hudyn.

By The Waters of Minnetonka—Lievance.  
Happy Song—Del Riega.  
Mrs. Custer.

Freiged—Rachmaninoff.  
To a Wild Rose—Mae Dowell.  
Miss McPhee.  
Blackbirds Song—Cyril Scott.

Ma Curly Headed Bobby—Geo. H. Clukam.  
I Know A Little Girl—Porter Steele.  
The Piper's Song—A. H. Brewer.  
Mrs. Custer.

Valse—Chopin.  
Pas des amphenores—Chaminade.  
Miss McPhee.

Part Two.  
Herald—Mark Lewis.  
Solo Dancing—Helen Jane Behlke; Gail Welsh, Margaret and Ella Hanson; Minnie Heath, Mark Lewis.

Group Dancing—Helen Jane Behlke, Gail and Betty Welsh, Joyce Gamble, Edward Mason, Edwin and Clarence Smith, Jevlian Smith, Junior Hanson, Kenneth Foster, Erick and Halvor Hanson, Margaret and Ella Hanson.

Social dancers—Demonstration of the fox trot, Ruth Taylor, Francine Failing, Dora Morency, Loretta McDaniel, Paul Nelson, Elmer Smith, Clara Borchers, Oscar Taylor.

Demonstration of the waltz—Mrs. Custer and Fred Alexander.  
Music—Mrs. Custer, Piano.  
P. Howell—Mandolin.

The proceeds of the concert are to be used for the Christmas charity fund of the Women's club. Seats may be reserved at Lewis' drug store for 50 cents.

Nothing left but rabbits and the Church.

In other words, this last thing in the line of interests—the church must come first if the town is to be a real town. All seasons that take the interest of folks come to an end but the season of the Church of Jesus Christ has no end. The time is now here for everyone to get the motion toward church going.

Did you have a part in that fine congregation at the Michelson Memorial Church last Sunday?—You will want to be there next Sunday, on time to get a seat. A Christian land without church goers is impossible no matter how many faults the church may now have. If Grayling is not a church town let's make it one. Your name is down for a seat next Sunday.

Farm in Maple Forest for Sale.  
On account of the foreclosing of a mortgage, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 21 Township 28 N. R. 3 is for sale. Buyers are asked to address themselves to Mr. R. Hanson, Grayling 10-20-8.

The Veterans bureau of the 8th District office in Chicago, operating for the states of Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan have sent their "Clean-up squad" into this state and at present are in Grayling. They have opened offices in the Board of Trade rooms and will continue to 12:00 o'clock Friday noon.

Those present are as follows:  
W. C. Carlock, in charge of claims, vocational training and insurance.  
Dr. A. M. O'Brien, medical officer, and Dr. R. O'Brien, assistant.  
C. W. Nelson, secretary.  
Miss Ruth Hodsdon, Red Cross representative.  
G. W. Metcalf, Legion welfare officer.

The Grayling session which opened here Wednesday morning, is looking after claims coming from Crawford, Osgood and Roscommon counties. They will leave Grayling Friday afternoon for Boyne City.

The squad takes up all claims of ex-service men of the world war, filing new claims, or putting complaints, process of adjustment where claim is already filed and no awards have been made or compensation has been cut and claimant desires to appeal, or submit new evidence in substantiation of same. Also information is given on insurance or vocational training and reinstatement and conversion of insurance made.

Mr. Metcalf, legion welfare officer takes up matters of Michigan bonuses, lost discharges, back army and navy pay, etc.

Ex-service men having matters to bring to attention to "Clean-up Squad" bring all papers or letters received from the Bureau relative to their claims in order that their cases may be intelligently presented to the squad. The squad will work Thursday evening for the convenience of those who cannot come during the day.

First Day.  
Total number of contacts, 8.  
Total number of new compensation claims filed, 1.  
Total number of physical examinations, 9.  
Total number of ex-service men hospitalized, 2.  
Total number of applications for Vocational Training, 3.  
Total number of compensation complaints, 4.  
Total number of miscellaneous (This includes lost discharges, back allowance, liberty bonds, etc.), 2.

## T. N. T.

AN EXPLOSION OF PEDIGREED TRUTH.

(Notes of the Grayling School).

HURRAH! 'tis snowing!  
On street and house-roof, gently east,  
The falling flakes come thick and fast;  
They wheel and curve from giddy height.

And speck the chilly air with white!  
Come on, come on, you light-robed storm!  
My rubus are thick, my sledge is gay;  
My champing steeds impatient neigh;  
My silver-sounding bells are clear,  
With music for the muffled ear;  
And she within—my queenly bride—  
Shall sit right gaily by my side.

Hurrah! 'tis snowing!  
Friday night, the Junior Class will give a Carnival in the school gymnasium. This being given to earn money for the annual Junior Hop. We hope YOU will all come out and give the Juniors your support.

Twenty-five pair of tennis shoes have been purchased for the children unable to buy them. They are left right in the gym and are used alternatively. No excuse now for not taking 'em.

A small crowd turned out for the Indoor Baseball game Monday.

Christmas seal campaign soon will be on. Every one buy, as it goes to prevent tuberculosis. 50 per cent of the receipts of the sales of last year was used in this county. There were four deaths last year in this county.

We have some pupils that are suspected to have it now, so help the cause by doing your part.

Twenty-five cents will buy a ticket on the Baby Doll which will be given away at the Carnival Friday night. Make a subscription to the McCall's Magazine for a chance to win a prize. Subscribe at the Carnival.

The grades are preparing for Xmas already.

We are pleased to announce the marriage of Miss Haynes, one of our Junior High school teachers to Mr. Gibbons of this city. She gave us all a great surprise. We are glad, however that she will continue her teaching here this year.

The bathing beauties at the Carnival have got Mack Sennett's bent. Do not forget the dance after the carnival.

John Phelps spent Thanksgiving in Ortonville.

Mrs. Milnes is out of school on account of illness. Miss Ruby Olson is taking her place during her absence.

Cake and Candy booths at the carnival.

Chorus girls from "Gay Paree" for the carnival.

They say that Miss Bellows was at the cemetery until 2:00 o'clock, when she was at Ann Arbor. Was she all alone?

I wonder if she was studying genealogy.

R.F.V. Soap at the Carnival. A delicately perfumed hand soap that lathers freely in cold water as well as warm.

Basket ball did you say?  
Well I guess yes. Beat Vanderbilt 40 to 11. The fellows certainly put some pep into it. Tomorrow says that's not half what they can do. Wonder what Wolverine will do when we play her.

Pepper.  
"Don't be shocked," said the bare trolley wire.—"Be on the level," said the square.

"Never get unstrung," said the telephone line.

"Keep your tongue still," said the wagon.

"Don't be a striker," said the match.

"Have a keen eye," said the needle.  
"Don't break your neck," said the beetle.

"Be sure to look things over," said the telescope.

"Don't talk hay," said the phonograph.

"Hold tight to what you have," said the staple-pulley.

"Never burn around," said the bomb.

"Always hold your temper," said the cold chisel.

"Always keep things smooth," said the plane.

"Always hold your head high," said the jack.

"Grasp at every opportunity," said the pincers.

"Always reflect on things first," said the mirror.—Charles H. Stansburg.

Ivan Cameron: "Say Mike, why is the letter 'A' like twelve o'clock?"  
Clarence Brenner: "I dunno, it ain't."

I. C. "Well! Because it comes in the middle of the day."

Aubrey Barret: "What is the big joke in the high school?"  
Maxwell, Yahr: "The Girls basket ball team."

Patent, under X-ray examination: "Say, Doc, no wonder I always had a pain in my head, look at this dark spot on the negative; looks like a pea."

Judge: "And you say you saw this happen in the dark while you were several hundred feet away?"  
Witness: "Yes, your honor, I can see millions of miles at night."

Judge: "Millions of miles?"  
Witness: "Sure, your honor, take the stars, for instance."

SAY! Wouldn't it be funny?  
If, you could hear Rose Cassidy, Helen Smith, Fern Hum and Myrtle Winslow talk loud enough in class to be understood when they recite.

LISTEN! DON'T MISS THE DANCE OF THE SEVEN VEILS AT THE CARNIVAL.

"I hear they have established a home for telephone operators."

"And what did they name it?"  
"Listen Inn."

He was a very promising young scientist until he tried to extract the rye from dynamite.

And she told me Emerson is just like Colgate's tooth paste.

"She did! How's that?"  
"Well I suppose he's good to the last squeeze."

Miss Fuller: "What is water plus energy?"

Archie Cripps: "Hardwater."

Don't forget the date, Dec. 2 Junior Carnival.

FOR CHRISTMAS.

There is nothing more appropriate than a gift which, every month throughout the year, brings a pleasant reminder of the donor. For this purpose THE OPEN ROAD has not only proved its popularity but comes well recommended.—Dr. Charles W. Eliot, President Emeritus of Harvard University and noted educator, says:

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Card Cases  
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Manicure Sets  
Photograph Frames  
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Tea Strainers  
Vases  
Flower Bowls  
Fancy Stone Rings  
Bracelets  
LaValieres  
Wedding Rings  
Ear Drops  
Pendants  
Neck Chains  
Lockets  
Thimbles  
Photo Cases  
Marmalade Jars  
Mayonnaise Sets  
Salad & Fruit Dishes  
Sugar & Cream Sets  
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Pepper Shakers  
Ment Dishes  
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# A Man for the Ages

A Story of the Builders of Democracy

By IRVING BACHELLER

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## CHAPTER XIV.

In Which Abe Returns From Vandalla and is Engaged to Ann, and Three Interesting Slaves Arrive at the Home of Samson Traylor, Who, With Harry Needles, Has an Adventure of Much Importance on the Underground Road.

Abe came back from the legislature to resume his duties as postmaster. The evening of his arrival he went to see Ann. The girl was in poor health. She had had no news of McNamee since January. Her spirit seemed to be broken. They walked together up and down the deserted street of the little village that evening. Abe told her of his life in Vandalla and of his hopes and plans.

"My greatest hope is that you will feel that you can put up with me," he said. "I would try to learn how to make you happy. I think if you would help me a little I could do it."

"If you want me to, I will marry you, Abe," said she. "I cannot say that I love you, but my mother and father say that I would learn to love you, and sometimes I think it is true. I really want to love you."

They were on the bluff that overlooked the river and the deserted mill. They were quite alone looking down at the mill and the bridge. A broken sigh came from the lips of the tall young man. He wiped his eyes with his handkerchief. He took her hand in both of his and pressed it against his breast and looked down into her face and said:

"I wish I could tell you what is in my heart. There are things this tongue of mine could say, but not that. I shall show you, but I shall not try to tell you. Words are good enough for politics and even for the religion of most men, but not for this love I feel. Only in my life shall I try to express it."

He held her hand as they walked on in silence for a moment.

"About a year from now we can be married," he said. "I shall be able



"I Am Sure I Shall Love You," She Whispered.

to take care of you then, I think. Meanwhile we will all help you to take care of yourself. You don't look well." She kissed his cheek and he kissed hers when they parted at the door of the tavern.

"I am sure I shall love you," she whispered.

"Those are the best words that ever came to my ears," he answered, and left her with a solemn sense of his commitment.

Soon after that Abe went to the north line of the county to do some surveying, and on his return, in the last week of May, came out for a talk with the Traylor.

That was the 26th of May, 1835, a date of much importance in the calendar of the Traylor. It had been clear, warm day, followed by a cloudless, starry night, with a chilly breeze blowing. Between eleven and twelve o'clock Sarah and Samson were awakened by the hoot of an owl in the dooryard. In a moment they heard three taps on a window pane. They knew what it meant. Both got out of bed and into their clothes as quickly as possible. Samson lit a candle and put some wood on the fire. Then he opened the door with the candle in his hand. A stalwart, good-looking mulatto man, with a smooth-shaven face, stood in the dooryard.

"Is the coast clear?" he whispered.

"All clear," Samson answered, in a low tone.

"I'll be back in a minute," said the negro, as he disappeared in the darkness, returning presently with two women, both very black. They sat down in the dim light of the cabin.

Harry, who had been awakened by the arrival of the strangers, came down the ladder.

"These are fugitive slaves on their way north," said Samson. "Take them out to the stack. I'll bring some food in a few minutes."

Harry conducted them to the stack, and when they had gone, he brought a ladder and went to the top of the stack. A hooped ladder, the middle of it led to a small trap and provided vent.

Harry was crawling to it at the moment when Samson, who had been standing at the door, saw him.

"The justice arrived in a few minutes and Biggs lodged a complaint

black darkness of the stack room to learn whence they had come and whether they wished to go.

"We are from St. Louis, suh," the mulatto answered. "We are on our way to Canada. Our next station is the house of John Peasley, in Tazewell county."

"You know a man of the name of Elphilett Biggs, who lives in St. Louis?" Harry asked.

"Yes, suh, I see him often, suh," the negro answered.

"What kind of a man is he?"

"Good when he is sober, suh, but a brute when he is drunk."

"Is he cruel to his wife?"

"He beats her with a whip, suh."

"My G—!" Harry exclaimed. "Why don't she leave him?"

"She has left him, suh. She is staying with a friend. It has been hard for her to get away. She has been a slave, too."

Harry's voice trembled with emotion when he answered:

"I am sure that none of her friends knew how she was being treated."

"I suppose that she was hoping and praying, suh, that he would change."

"I think that one of us will take you to Peasley's tomorrow night," said Harry. "Meanwhile I hope you get a good rest."

With that he left them, filled the mouth of the cave with hay and went into the house. There he told his good friends of what he had heard.

"I shall go down to St. Louis," he said. "I read in the paper that there was a boat Monday."

"The first thing to do is to go to bed," said Sarah. "There's not much sleep to be had."

They went to bed, but the young man could not sleep. His mind was possessed of his heart again.

Fortunately, the spring's work was finished and there was not much to be done next day. Samson went to "Colony" Larkin's cabin and arranged with him and his wife to come and stay with Sarah and make other preparations for the journey to the north.

Soon after midnight they put their guests on a small load of hay, so that they could quickly cover themselves, if necessary, and set out for Peasley's farm. As they rode along Samson had a frank talk with Harry.

"I think you ought to get over being in love with him," he said.

"I've told myself that a dozen times, but it don't do any good," said the boy.

"She's another man's wife and you have no right to love her."

"She's another man's slave, and I can't stand the thought of it," Harry answered. "If a man's sister were in such trouble, I think he'd have the right to help her; and she's more than a sister to me."

"I'll stand with you on the sister platform," said Samson.

At sunrise they stopped to give their horses a moment to rest. In the distance they could see Brimstead's house and the barrowed fields around it. The women were lying covered by the hay; the man was sitting up and looking back down the road.

"They're coming," he exclaimed, suddenly, as he got under the hay. Samson and Harry could see horses' heads following at a gallop half a mile away.

"Hurry! hurry! hurry! hurry!" they hurried their team and got to Brimstead's door ahead of the horsemen. Harry, Brimstead stood in the open door.

"Take these slaves into the house and get them out of sight as quick as you can," said Samson. "There's going to be a quarrel here in a minute."

The slaves slid off the load and ran into the house.

The team started on toward Peasley's farm as if nothing had happened, with Harry and Samson standing on the load. In a moment they saw, to their astonishment, Biggs and a colored servant coming at a slow trot. Were the slaves they carried the property of Biggs?

"Stop that wagon," the latter shouted.

Samson kept on, turning out a little to let them pass.

"Stop or we'll shoot your horses," Biggs demanded.

"They'll have to pass close to the load," Harry whispered. "I'll jump on behind Biggs as he goes by."

The words were scarcely out of his mouth when Harry sprang off the load, catching Biggs' shoulders and landing squarely on the rump of his horse. It was a rough minute that followed. The horse leaped and reared and Biggs lost his seat, and he and Harry rolled to the ground and into a fence corner, while the horse ran up the road, with the pistols in their holsters on his back. They rose and fought until Harry, being quicker and stronger, got the best of it. The slave was severely punished.

Biggs swore bitterly at the two Yankees.

"I'll have you dirty suckers arrested, if there's any law in this state," he declared, as he stood leaning against the fence, with an eye badly swollen and blood streaming from his nose.

"I suppose you can do it," said Samson. "But first let's see if we can find your horse. I think I saw him turn in at the house above."

Samson drove the team, while Biggs and Harry walked up the road in silence. The negro followed in the saddle. Peasley had caught Biggs' horse and was standing at the roadside.

"I want to find a justice of the peace," said Biggs.

"There's one at the next house above," said Harry.

"I'll send my boy for him," Peasley answered.

The justice arrived in a few minutes and Biggs lodged a complaint

founded on the allegation that his slaves were concealed in the hay on Samson's wagon. The hay was removed and no slaves were discovered.

"I suppose they left my niggers at the house below," said Biggs as he mounted his horse and, with his companions started at a gallop in the direction of Brimstead's. Samson remained with Peasley and the justice.

"You had better go down and see what happens," he said to Harry. "We'll follow you in a few minutes."

So Harry walked down to Brimstead's.

He found the house in a condition of panic. Biggs and his helper had discovered the mulatto and his wife hiding in the barn. The negroes and the children were crying. Mrs. Brimstead met Harry outside the door.

"What are we to do?" she asked, tearfully.

"Just keep cool," said Harry. "Father Traylor and Mr. Peasley will be here soon."

Biggs and his companion came out of the door with Brimstead.

"We will take the niggers to the river and put them on a boat," Biggs was saying.

His face and shirt and bosom were smeared with blood. He asked Mrs. Brimstead for a basin of water and a towel. The good woman took him to the washstand and supplied his needs.

In a few moments Samson and Peasley arrived.

"Well, you've found them, have you?" Peasley asked.

"They were here, as I thought," said Biggs.

"Well, the justice says we must surrender the negroes and take them to the nearest landing for you. We've come to do it."

"It's better treatment than I expected," Biggs answered.

"You'll find that we have a good deal of respect for the law," said Peasley.

Biggs and his friend went to the barn for their horses. The others conferred a moment with the two slaves and Mrs. Brimstead. Then the latter went out into the garden lot to a woman in a sunbonnet who was working with a hoe some fifteen rods from the house. Mrs. Brimstead seemed to be conveying a message to the woman by signs. Evidently the latter was deaf and dumb.

"That is the third slave," Brimstead whispered. "I don't believe they'll discover her."

Soon Peasley and Samson, on into the wagon with the negroes and drove away, followed by the two horsemen.

In a little village on the river they stopped at a low frame house. A woman came to the door.

"Is Freeman Collar here?" Peasley demanded.

"He is back in the garden," the woman answered.

"Please ask him to come here."

In a moment Collar came around the house with a hoe on his shoulder.

"Good morning, Mr. Constable," said Peasley. "This is Elphilett Biggs of St. Louis, and here is a warrant for his arrest."

"For my arrest?" Biggs exclaimed. "What is the charge?"

"That you hired a number of negroes to burn the house of Samson Harry Traylor, near the village of New Salem, in Sangamon county, and by violence, to compel him to leave said county; that, on the 29th of August, said men—the same being eight in number—attempted to carry out your design and, being captured and overpowered, all confessed their guilt and your connection with it, their sworn confessions being now in the possession of one Stephen Nuckles, a minister of this county. I do not need to remind you that it is a grave offense and likely to lead to your confinement for a term of years."

"Well, by G—," Biggs shouted, in anger. "You suckers will have some traveling to do before you arrest me."

He struck the spurs in his horse and galloped away, followed by his servant. Samson roared with laughter.

"Now, Collar, get up on your horse and hurry 'em along, but don't catch up with 'em if you can help it," said Peasley.

When the constable had gone, Peasley said to Samson: "We'll drop these slaves at Nate Haskell's door. He'll take care of 'em until dark and start 'em on the north road. Late in the evening I'll pick 'em up and get 'em out of this part of the country."

Meanwhile Brimstead and Harry had stood for a moment in the dooryard of the former, watching the party on its way up the road. Brimstead blew out his breath and said in a low tone:

"Say, I'll tell you. I ain't had so much excitement since Samson Traylor rode into Pea valley. The women need a chance to wash their faces and slick up a little. Let's you and me go back to the creek and go in swimmin' and look the farm over."

"What become of the third nigger?" Harry asked.

"She went out in the field in a sunbonnet and went to work with a hoe and she didn't discover her," said Brimstead.

They had their swim in the creek and got back to the house at dinner time. Samson had returned and, as they sat down at the table, Harry asked:

"What have you done with the third slave?"

"She's been upstairs, getting washed and dressed," said Mrs. Brimstead.

As she spoke, the stairway door opened and she entered the room in a silk gown and slippers. Her hair had been put in curl and she had had her face washed and her eyes made up. All eyes

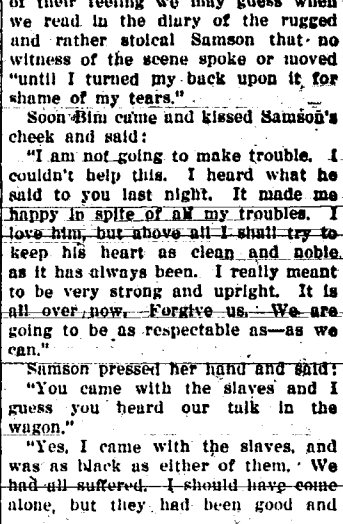
from the table. Harry walked toward her. She advanced to meet him. "Face to face they stopped and looked into each other's eyes. The moment long desired, the moment endeared and sublimated by the dreams of both, the moment toward which their thoughts had been wont to batten, after the cares of the day, like brooks coming down from the mountains, had arrived suddenly. She was in a way prepared for it. She had taken thought of what she would do and say. He had not. Still it made no difference. Quickly they fell into each other's embrace, and the depth of their feeling we may guess when we read in the diary of the rugged and rather stoical Samson that no witness of the scene spoke or moved "until I turned my back upon it for shame of my tears."

Soon Blin came and kissed Samson's cheek and said:

"I am not going to make trouble. I couldn't help this. I heard what he said to you last night. It made me happy in spite of all my troubles. I love him, but above all I shall try to keep his heart as clean and noble as it has always been. I really meant to be very strong and upright. It is all over now. Forgive us. We are going to be as respectable as we can."

Samson pressed her hand and said: "You came with the slaves and I guess you heard our talk in the wagon."

"Yes, I came with the slaves, and was as black as either of them. We had all suffered. I should have come alone, but they had been good and



"Here is a Warrant for His Arrest."

faithful to me. I could not bear to leave them to endure the violence of that man. We left together one night when he was in a drunken stupor. We took a boat to Alton and caught the Star of the North to Beardstown—they traveling as my servants.

There I hired a team and wagon. It brought us to the grove near your house."

"Why did you disguise yourself before you came in?"

"I longed to see Harry, but I did not want him to see me. I did not know that he would care to see me," she answered. "I longed to see all of you. Now I am ready to go to my father's house—like the Prodigal Son coming back after his folly."

Biggs kissed Samson's cheek and embraced Annabel and her mother and hurried out of the house. Harry carried her bag to the buggy and helped her in.

She waved her hand as the buggy went up the road.

"It's the same old bim," Harry said to himself, as he stood watching her. "But I think she's lovelier than she ever was."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## BIRD'S NESTS IN ODD PLACES

Remarkable Boldness Shown by Many Species When They Are Engaged in Rearing Family.

Every year some fresh discovery is made by naturalists respecting the curious habits of birds. The boldness shown by even shy birds when domestic duties are concerned is surprising.

Robins are especially noted for their boldness, and a pair have been known to build their nest and rear their family on a beam in a school, entering by the window which was left open.

Swallows seldom build in odd places, but a pair have been known to build their nest against a pane of window glass. A swallow's nest in a funnel is an exceptionally queer place for a bird of this species to choose.

Wrens are very ingenious, and their dome-shaped nests, which are so beautifully woven, are often found in old kettles and tins, and even in the pockets of old coats which have been left hanging about. A hedge sparrow's nest in a kettle was found in a bunch of nettles close to a public footpath where school children passed every day, but the faithful bird, with no thought of danger, reared a family quite unmolested.

The story of Shellac is the product of an insect. As soon as it emerges into the world, the insect looks around for a suitable place to commence operations which consists of thrusting its beak into the trunk of a tree on which it was born. In this manner it absorbs a quantity of the sap which is exuded from the pores of its body until it is completely covered. The insects are scraped from the surface of the tree trunk and then treated and cleaned until the shellac of commerce is the result.

The Unattainable.

Columbus discovered America in 1492. Thereafter the efforts of mankind were concentrated upon discovering the North pole and a cure for colds. The North pole eventually was discovered. —Louisville Courier-Journal.

## THE TROTTEUR SUIT; LACE TRIMMING VEILS

NO more we pay homage to our faithful ally, the tailored suit. It has been rehabilitated, with all the honors of its former prestige restored, for the tailored suit is an absolute essential to good dressing.

There are many new points of interest in the up-to-date winter tailor suit. First of all, the fashion powers that be refer to it as the trotteur, a favorite word in the modern style vocabulary. Again, the general consensus of opinion is that it is perfectly proper for the trotteur to answer the requirements of winter with one of the new "cushion" fur collars, and that the semi-tailored suits be heavily bordered and collared with fur.

The all-black tailored suit, with trimmings of glossy black fur, is the latest word in fashionable attire. Dealers

of the world. The Spanish influence, perhaps, is reflected most of all, for style creators have selected sunny Spain this season for the well-spring of ideas. The Egyptian vogue which features over-the-ear ornamentation is reflected in the lace drape as is also the Oriental half veiling of the eyes.

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## NORTHEASTERN MICHIGAN NEWS

An Ogemaw county farmer reports  
harvesting 2,000 bushels of potatoes  
from a six-acre tract this fall, a  
yield which gives a splendid profit.

East Tawas formally dedicated the  
new Community house, located on its  
state park, Wednesday evening, Nov.  
ember 23. The program consisted of  
speaking and music. The Ladies' Lit-  
erary society, the American Legion  
post and other local organizations are  
providing funds for furnishing the  
club rooms in the building, and the  
building is to be kept open day and  
night for the use of the people of East  
Tawas.

Splendid samples of dent corn  
grown in Cheboygan county are be-  
ing exhibited at the Northeastern  
Michigan Development bureau office  
in Bay City. This corn, which has  
been named Golden Glow, is acclima-  
tized to northern Michigan, having  
ripened in Cheboygan county over a  
period of several years. It is only  
a few years since it was believed  
dent corn could not be grown suc-  
cessfully north of Arenac county.  
Now, thanks to efforts of progress-  
ive farmers and seed growers, corn  
is becoming a staple crop in every  
section of the district.

At the international potato show  
held in Duluth in October, a display  
of Petoskey Rural Russets, made by  
the Woloskine Co-operative Market-  
ing association of Woloskine, Che-  
boygan county, took first prize in  
the international championship con-  
test, winning the long end of a \$250  
purse and the association loving cup.  
Northern Michigan potatoes also won  
nine of the ten prizes in the class of  
one-peck displays of Rural Russets.  
In this contest the seventh prize  
went to a New York exhibitor.

For many years Michigan alfalfa  
growers have been buying seed  
grown in other states, in order to  
secure strains which would stand  
the climate of northern Michigan.  
That this will soon be unnecessary  
is indicated by the fact that the  
University of Cheboygan county, work-  
ing in co-operation with the plant  
specialists of the Michigan Agricul-  
tural college, has developed a strain  
of alfalfa that not only withstands  
the long northern winters but is also  
a wonderfully productive plant, pro-  
ducing a crop of hay and also a crop  
of seed the season is planted. This  
year from a six-acre tract sowed last  
spring, Mr. Nelson secured 500 lbs.  
of seed. As this seed is being sold  
at \$10 per pound on account of its  
qualities, it means the fat income of  
\$5,000 from that six acres.

### PRESERVE DRIED APRICOTS WITH CANNED PINEAPPLE

The United States Department of  
Agriculture has tested and approved  
the following recipe for a good winter  
preserve. The children will like it  
for their school lunches, and to  
many persons it will prove a novelty  
for Sunday night supper.

Soak 1 pound chopped dried apricots  
over night. Drain the juice from  
two No. 3 cans of pineapple and cut  
in small pieces. Add one-half the  
weight of pineapple in sugar and  
cook 20 minutes. Drain and add  
the apricots with one-half pound sugar  
and cook 10 minutes longer. Turn  
into sterilized jelly glasses and cover.  
This preserve requires careful watch-  
ing to prevent scorching.

### When You Are Constipated.

To insure a healthy action of the  
bowels and correct disorders of the  
liver, take two of Chamberlain's Ta-  
blets immediately after supper. They  
will not only cause a gentle move-  
ment of the bowels, without unpleas-  
ant effects, but banish that dull, stu-  
pid feeling, that often accompanies  
constipation.



### For Your Afternoon Teas

Brednut spread on crackers, rolls, or thin slices of bread is always  
tempting and delicious for afternoon teas.

Brednut is the finest spread for bread that can be made from any  
materials and by any process. It is made of the purest vegetable  
ingredients. It is churned daily in a snow-white, sanitary plant  
and delivered direct to your grocer. It never gets brittle from  
the cold, or runs from room heat. You can always rely on Brednut  
to stay fresh long enough for even a small family to use a pound.

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## LOCAL NEWS

J. Fred Alexander left today to  
spend a few days in Detroit.

Mrs. Malcolm MacLeod left Wednes-  
day for a visit in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hanson returned  
Monday from a visit in Detroit.

Miss Lillian South returned Monday  
from a visit with relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. E. W. Buhke left Friday for  
Detroit to be a guest of friends for a  
few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Royce of South  
armen township were in the city on  
business yesterday.

Miss Wilda Failing left for Bay  
City Saturday, where she had been  
hired a position.

Junior carnival Friday night at the  
school gymnasium. Adults 10c. There  
was plenty of good, enjoyable en-  
tertainment.

Go to the Hat Shop next Monday  
and see the special line of fancy  
hats that Mrs. Barber or Cheboygan  
can have on display.

The W. R. C. will hold their regular  
meeting next Friday, December 2, at  
seven o'clock. Officers will  
make place. It is urged that all mem-  
bers be present at this meeting.

Monday noon next is the last pos-  
sible moment for the sale of tickets  
for the Anniversary banquet at the  
Michigan Memorial Church Dec. 8th.

The Mercy Hospital Aid society will  
meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Let-  
zels, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 8th.  
Mrs. Louis Kessler will assist in en-  
tertaining.

We believe that if we were the par-  
sons who stole the tires from the car-  
riage of the Cheboygan Co. delivery truck Mon-  
day night, that we would rather run  
than turn them in to take chances of being  
caught.

George Thompson of Detroit who  
has been taking the place of Grant  
Snow, local operator during the time  
he was taking his vacation, left to-  
day for his home in the Western Union  
Telegraph office of that place.

Mrs. Barber of Cheboygan will be  
in the Hat Shop with a line of fancy  
hats Monday, Dec. 5. These hats will  
have some very good things, some em-  
broidered and some not. Some of these  
hats have already arrived and may  
be seen at any time before Monday is  
over. The Hat Shop.

Owing to the necessity of giving  
the caterer time for preparation, we  
must know the number of sales of  
tickets for the banquet Monday noon.

No tickets sold after that date. An-  
niversary Banquet of the Michigan  
Memorial Church Thursday Dec. 8th.  
The program, great speaker.

Miss Pearl Haynes, a Junior  
high school teacher of the local  
schools was united in marriage to  
Mr. Edward Gibbons of this city Wed-  
nesday, November 23, Rev. C. E. Doty  
of the Michigan Memorial church,  
performed the ceremony. They have  
the congratulations and best wishes  
of their friends.

The "Mistake" "500" club was en-  
tertained at the home of Mrs. B. C.  
Conklin last evening. Mrs. Harry Hum-  
boldt the highest score, while con-  
solation fell to Mrs. E. W. Dawson.  
This was the second meeting of this  
newly organized club. Mrs. Anthony  
Brideau will entertain Wednesday  
evening of next week.

William Stidger of Detroit who will  
speak at the anniversary banquet  
next week, Thursday night, Dec. 8,  
was a world vagabond. He went to  
France, then home. And then out  
again on a 50,000 mile writing trip  
thru the Orient. He has been a re-  
porter, a tramp, a bricklayer, a Jani-  
tor, foot ball player, a ten-second  
sprinter, a prize winning college or-  
ator, author of six books, preacher, po-  
lit and truck driver. He knows folks.  
You can't afford to miss hearing him.  
You get a dollar dinner and chance  
to hear this remarkable young orator  
besides. He is pastor of St. Mark's  
church in Detroit. He came there from  
California. In three months time he  
posted an evening attendance at  
church from 200 to more than 3000.  
All Detroit is talking of him today.  
Banquet table is limited so don't wait  
but buy your ticket as soon as pos-  
sible.

"I have taken eight bottles of Tan-  
ac and have actually gained 40  
pounds in weight and feel better and  
stronger than I have felt before in  
twenty-five years," says O. B. Ma-  
laffy, of Nashville, Tenn. A. M.  
Lewis, Druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mount are re-  
ceiving congratulations on the birth  
of a son at Mercy Hospital, Monday  
Nov. 28.

The Danish congregation have been  
making elaborate preparations to cel-  
brate the Golden Wedding Anniver-  
sary of Mr. and Mrs. Severin Jensen  
on Friday evening at Danebod hall.

### THERE ARE MANY CASES OF WHOOPIING COUGH IN TOWN.

A Few Important Facts Relative to  
the Disease.

There are many cases of whooping  
cough in Grayling and many children  
have been exposed. That the people  
of this community may know more  
of the disease and how to guard  
against it, we publish extracts from  
a bulletin sent by the State Board  
of Health. It says as follows:

Whooping cough is a contagious  
disease, and because of complications  
and sequelae induced by it—such as  
pneumonia, hemorrhages and tuber-  
culosis, and such accidental sequelae  
as diphtheria, etc., it is a disease  
dangerous to public health and as  
such should be restricted.

The pernicious practice among some people  
of allowing children to become ex-  
posed to this disease should be aban-  
doned and combated for the older  
child is the better able to resist  
the effects of whooping cough. In adults  
the disease, if taken at all, is usually  
mild.

The symptoms are a cough, usually  
rather severe, with a tendency to  
come paroxysmal, sneezing, some-  
times watering of the eyes, and often  
a slight fever. Restlessness, with a  
loss of appetite, and increased thirst  
usually accompany these symptoms.

It is often necessary to wait for the  
second stage, which is characteriz-  
ed by the "whoop," before the disease  
can be distinguished.

The law requires householders and  
parents to give immediate notice  
of the first case and every case of any  
disease designated by the Michigan  
Department of Health as a dangerous  
communicable disease to the health  
officer.

1. Cases must be reported.  
2. Conspicuous placard on the  
house.

3. Exclude from school children in  
the household who have not had  
whooping cough.

4. Children should be permitted to  
go out every day, but must wear  
thin blue felt caps between the elbow  
and shoulder, a band of red cotton up-  
on which appears in substantial  
child letters on each inch the words  
"Whooping Cough." They must not  
be allowed to come in contact with  
others who have not had the disease.

### WOULD PLACE CHILDREN IN HOMES.

Mr. S. B. Harvey, of Traverse City,  
and superintendent of the State Home-  
less children, who are now in the  
Michigan State Homeless children  
home, Monday, securing homes for de-  
pendent and neglected children from  
the Coldwater School. He said the  
State Public School, there is over-  
crowded, and they are very anxious  
to place as many of the waifs as pos-  
sible before Christmas.

Mr. M. J. Murray, head of the newly or-  
ganized State Welfare Department, is  
a man of modern ideas. He has lately  
effected a radical change in the policy  
of the Coldwater school. Thirteen  
children have been sent out with little  
attempt at classification; but now  
Mr. Murray in a recent letter to Mr.  
Harvey says: "It is our plan to de-  
termine the mental and physical con-  
ditions, keeping only the sub-normal  
ones for specialized instruction, un-  
der charge of experts; and in making  
an effort to secure homes for these  
waifs you are safe in saying that re-  
sult will be a child who is not suitable for place-  
ment will be put out. We have a  
psychologist at the school who will  
pass on the mental condition of the waifs,  
and a thorough physical examination  
will be given each one. Thus each  
child will be mentally and physically  
fit before being placed out to a home."

"There are, also, in the Industrial  
School for Boys, at Lansing, nine-  
teen wards who have made good in  
the institution and are ready and an-  
xious to go out into homes on leave  
of absence. These boys are in age  
from thirteen to sixteen years."

At present there are no Coldwater  
wards in Crawford county, but there  
certainly must be many good homes  
in such a thrifty region which would  
be brighter and happier with some  
of these homeless children in them.

These are not idle criminals, but  
are merely the victims of circum-  
stances. All nationalities  
and creeds are represented among  
these wards, and a choice of age may  
be had from one month to sixteen  
years.

Now, if any person is interested  
in taking one of these dependents  
into his own home, or knows of oth-  
ers who would like to do so, or would  
like to be interested, Mr. Harvey  
would consider it a favor to be no-  
tified of the fact, so that he may make  
a personal call to arrange details.  
We hope that many homes in this vic-  
inity may be glad to have this Chris-  
tmas because of adding new members  
to the family circle in this way.

### PROPER CARE OF PAINT OR VARNISH BRUSHES IMPOR- TANT.

Brushes for applying stain, var-  
nish, paint, and all are manufactured  
in various sizes and qualities. In  
general, a wide brush of good qual-  
ity will be found most convenient and  
economical, and if properly cared for  
can be used over and over again.

It is pointed out in Farmers' Bulletin  
1219, "Floors and Floors Coverings,"  
recently issued by the United States  
Department of Agriculture.

A varnish brush may be kept in the  
varnish in which it is used, or, in case  
of shellac varnish, in alcohol; but  
brushes used in oil paint and oil  
stain, unless they are to be used again  
within a few days, should be thor-  
oughly washed in turpentine or kero-  
sene, rinsed in gasoline or benzine,  
washed again in warm soap suds,  
thoroughly shaken, and hung up to  
dry with the bristles down. Paint  
brushes that are to be used again the  
next day may simply be wrapped in  
several thicknesses of paper, or they  
may be kept for several days with the  
bristles submerged in turpentine or  
kerosene. Kerosene is used, the  
brush must be shaken and rinsed in  
turpentine before it is put into paint  
again. Brushes used in water stain  
may be washed and rinsed in clear  
water.

## EARLY AGREEMENT ON NAVIES SOUGHT

PLENARY SESSION DEC. 1 TO  
HEAR REPORT ON THE  
NAVAL AGREEMENT.

### RESULTS SATISFY DELEGATES

Suggests of Conference Not Seen By  
Officials; China Also Wins  
Point.

Washington.—The American delega-  
tion, and as it appears the British  
and Japanese also, have begun a  
mighty drive to get an agreement on  
all questions, essential to the success  
of the present Conference, before the  
holiday recess.

This does not mean that the work  
of the Conference will be completed  
by that time, but there is excellent  
reason to believe that the fundamen-  
tals of the armament program can be  
agreed to and that the questions of  
China can all be settled in principle  
and the details referred to sub-com-  
mittees for working out.

To Report on Naval Ratio.

There are rumors everywhere as to  
the state of the armament discussion,  
and all to the general effect that an  
agreement on the main proposition of  
capital ship ratio has been reached.  
Officially, however, these rumors are  
not confirmed. All that is known  
positively is that the joint committee  
of naval experts has completed its  
work with respect to the proposed  
5-5-3 capital ship ratio and this ques-  
tion is now in the hands of the "Big  
Three"—Hughes, Balfour and Kato—  
for final determination.

A plenary session will be held Dec.  
1 to hear a report on the naval agree-  
ment.

It is highly significant that, with  
this very crucial stage of the nego-  
tiation reached, everybody is in a  
highly optimistic mood. Americans,  
Japanese and British all are giving  
every sign of being most highly  
pleased with themselves.

### Expect Japanese Agreement.

The statements that the naval ratio  
has been agreed to probably arises  
from the attitude of the Japanese  
newspapers and other Japanese  
non-official observers here. These for  
several days, from the very beginning  
in fact, have not believed that their  
government was very hard set in its  
proposal of a 70 per cent naval ratio,  
to replace the 60 per cent, allowed  
them by Mr. Hughes. In support of  
this opinion, they point out that the  
Japanese delegation has never for-  
mally presented its claim of an in-  
crease.

### "LOST BATTALION" LEADER LOST

Colonel Whitteley, of World War  
Fame, Disappears From Boat.

New York.—Lieut. Col. Charles W.  
Whitteley, leader of the famous "Lost  
Battalion"—of the 77th Division and  
one of the outstanding commanders of  
the American Army during the World  
War, is reported to have disappeared  
from the United Fruit Liner Toloa,  
bound from New York to Havana.

The radio message said Whitteley  
left several letters addressed to  
officials in his state room. His execu-  
tive John B. Bruyn, with whom he  
was at one time associated in the law  
business, said the Colonel had suffered  
from fits of melancholia since his  
harrowing experiences in the Argonne  
drive, and that he had been particu-  
larly depressed since attending the  
burial of the "Unknown Soldier" at  
Arlington Cemetery Armistice Day.

### KIRBY TRIAL UP DECEMBER 13

Jurors To Be Recalled to Hear Baby  
Death Case at Adrian.

Adrian.—Mrs. Mattie Kirby of Hud-  
son, will go on trial Tuesday, Decem-  
ber 13, in the Lenawee circuit court  
on a charge of murder.

The date was agreed upon Monday  
by the prosecutor and counsel for Mrs.  
Kirby and the jurors drawn for the  
October term will be recalled on that  
date.

Mrs. Kirby is charged with the death  
of an infant born to her daughter,  
Alice Kirby, last July 4. The case was  
on the regular call for the October  
term, but was put at the foot of the  
calendar as O. L. Smith of the attor-  
ney general's department, who is to as-  
sist in the prosecution, was out of the  
state.

### LORENZ OVERCOME BY CROWS

Sick and Crippled Eager to Consult  
Eminent Surgeon.

New York.—Dr. Adolf Lorenz, emi-  
nent Vienna "bloodless" surgeon, was  
near a collapse Monday at the hospital  
for joint disease, when hundreds of  
children, accompanied by their par-  
ents, crowded the examination room  
to consult him.

The people were cleared away, Dr.  
Lorenz smoked a cigarette and later  
he had recovered to such an extent  
that he was able to eat lunch.

Four policemen were needed to  
handle the crowds which braved the  
rain to see Dr. Lorenz Monday. Most  
of the patients were on foot, or on  
crutches, but some came in automo-  
biles.

### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Favorite.

The soothing and healing prop-  
erties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy,  
its pleasant taste and prompt and  
effective cures have made it a favorite  
with people everywhere. It is es-  
pecially prized by mothers of young  
children for colds, croup and whoop-  
ing cough, as it always affords quick  
relief and is free from opium and  
other harmful drugs.

## NEW USES FOR BISCUIT CUTTER FOR MIXING FAT AND FLOUR.

For combining shortening with  
flour in making pie crust, cutting it in  
with knives is a hygienic improve-  
ment that is considered better than  
the time-honored method of mixing  
it in with the tips of the fingers.  
Moreover, aside from hygienic consid-  
erations, handling the dough too much  
makes a tough crust.

The Office of Home Economics of  
the United States Department of Ag-  
riculture has lately employed a third  
method of mixing fat and flour, which  
is to cut in the fat with the biscuit  
cutter.

No special directions are needed to  
guide the cook who would adopt this  
simple little tool for this purpose. The  
fat is added to the sifted flour and  
salt and the two are chopped together  
more or less thoroughly, depending  
upon the quality of the pie crust desired.  
Then the water is added and the bis-  
cuit cutter is used again to combine  
the water with the fat-and-flour mix-  
ture.

Having discovered one new way of  
using an old tool, the Office of Home  
Economics saw these other possibili-  
ties:

Use it to mix fat and flour for bak-  
ing powder biscuits, when the fruit  
is to be used on shortcake, in making  
jelly or jam, or as sauce for ice cream.

Use it to chop cold, boiled potatoes  
for hash or salad.

## WANTS

Advertisements will be accept-  
ed under this heading at the  
rate of 5 cents per line. No  
adv. taken for less than 25 cts.  
There are about six words to  
a line.

### SEND MONEY WITH ORDER

FOR DAILY DELIVERY AFTER  
December 4th a limited quantity  
of quality milk from herd of Tu-  
berculosis tested Holstein cows.  
Leave orders. Phone No. 931-1R.  
Hugo Schreiber Jr.

FOR CRANK FOR OVERLAND  
auto, Tuesday, Nov. 21. Finder  
please notify Earl Wood, du Pont  
avenue. Phone 1512.

FOR SALE—REMINGTON AUTO-  
matic shotgun, \$30.00. In perfect  
condition. Inquire at Cowell's Bar-  
ber shop.

FOR SALE—NINE ROOM HOUSE,  
two lots—with bath, sleeping porch,  
full basement and finished attic.  
Modern in every way. John Larson.  
tf.

Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt Recommends  
Chamberlain's Tablets.

"I have frequently used Chamber-  
lain's Tablets, during the past three  
years, and have found them splendid  
for headache and bilious attacks.  
I am only too pleased, at any time,  
to speak a word in praise of them."  
Writes Mrs. Laura M. Hoyt, Rock-  
port, N. Y.

### Mutual Help.

"Say," quoth the farmer, "I wish  
you'd train my son to be a lawyer in  
your office. There's nothing in farm-  
ing."

"I'll do it," assented the lawyer,  
"provided you'll take my son on your  
farm. There's nothing in the law."

Don't forget that auto insurance.  
Many policies are expiring at this  
time of year and need renewal. We  
write auto insurance in the U. S. Mu-  
tual Automobile Insurance company  
that gives complete coverage at less  
cost than any other agency. \$1 per  
horsepower plus \$1. Minimum \$26.00.  
You can't beat it. All autos of 25 or  
less horsepower cost you but \$26, and  
it covers you for a whole year. Fire,  
theft, personal injury and all.  
O. P. Schumann, Agent.

# HILTON

Phone 98

## HOLIDAY HINTS

I was in Detroit Monday and the Christ-  
mas shopping has started in earnest,  
and the people who are doing the buying  
are for the first time in many years  
buying gifts that are useful.

### HILTON, Everything for the Home

In the old McKay House, 2 Blocks North of Shuppenagon Inn  
GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

RAGS WANTED—5 cents per pound  
for clean cotton wiping rags. Awa-  
lanche office.

LOST—LIGHT JERSEY COW,  
nearly ready to calf, about Oct. 10.  
About 3 years old; scar on right  
side; wart on right front test;  
bush of tail partly gone. Notify  
Louis McCormick, Grayling.

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract se-  
vere colds and recover from them with-  
out taking any precaution or treat-  
ment, and a knowledge of this fact  
leads others to take their chances  
instead of giving their colds the  
needed attention. It should be borne  
in mind that every cold weakens the  
system, lowers the vitality, makes the  
system less able to withstand each  
succeeding attack and paves the way  
for the more serious diseases. Can  
you afford to take such desperate  
chances when Chamberlain's Cough  
Remedy, famous for its cures of bad  
colds may be had for a trifle?

## Useful Presents

Those are the kind this store likes to  
sell. Presents that find every day uses  
in the home or shop. We have articles  
for everybody—the wife, husband,  
father, mother, sister and brother.  
Useful things that please. Come in  
and order what you want. We will be  
glad to hold it for you until Christ-  
mas, if you desire.

### SALLING HANSON CO.

Hardware Department

# Fordson

TRADE MARK

## Farm Tractor

Winter or bad weather does not hinder the Fordson's use-  
fulness. There is always some job—draw-bar or belt—that  
the Fordson will do more quickly, more efficiently and with a  
small consumption of fuel. Besides it solves the labor problem.

Day or night—twenty-four hours a day if you choose—  
you can utilize the Fordson. Like the machines in the fac-  
tories, the Fordson furnishes power that is always ready for  
use—a power that means a saving in labor and time. And  
for that reason, the Fordson is a money-maker.

Back of the Fordson is the Fordson service organization—  
Fordson repairmen and stocks of extra parts—are always con-  
venient and insure your continuous use of your tractor.

Don't delay order-  
ing your Fordson. Only  
so many are allotted this  
territory and orders are  
filled in rotation. Let us  
have your order now; we  
will give it prompt at-  
tention.

Made by Henry Ford  
& Son and sold by

## FORD SALES AND SERVICE

GEORGE BURKE, Grayling, Mich.

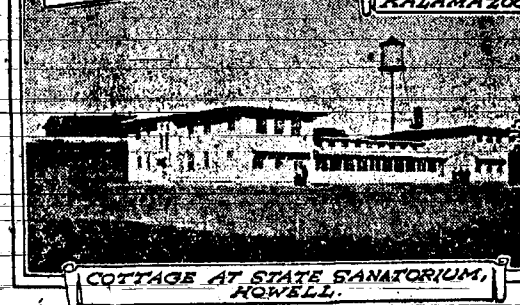
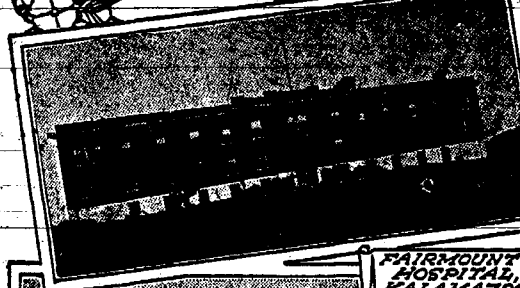
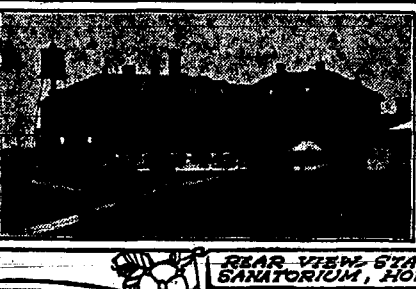
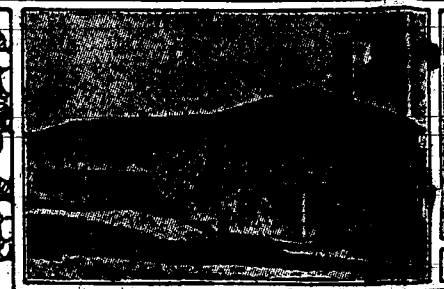


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Christmas Seal  
Your  
Christmas Mail

CHRISTMAS SEAL SUPPLEMENT

## Crawford Avalanche

Christmas Seals  
Save  
Human LivesFighting Tuberculosis  
in The Wolverine StatePAST SEAL SALES IN  
MICHIGAN

Help make the sale of 1931 as much bigger than that of 1930, as that of 1930 exceeded that of 1929. Michigan has made steady progress each year since 1911. Will you help maintain this steady growth? Here is the record: 1911—746,210; 1912—1,126,818; 1913—1,556,173; 1914—2,053,607; 1915—2,840,559; 1916—3,500,000; 1917—4,417,749; 1918—Christmas Seal—5,117,449; 1919—7,822,484; 1920—12,301,701.

## Frank B. Leland Says—

Complying with the request that I write a message to the people of Michigan on the subject of tuberculosis for the coming Christmas Seal sale, I could almost confine what I have to say to the one word "Hopefulness". However, I must explain just a little the basis of this pleasing hope.

Sixteen years ago when I first became actively engaged in the interest of those afflicted with the white plague, little if any real constructive work had been done in the United States in combating this terrible disease. A few doctors in various parts of the country, following the discovery of the tubercle bacillus by Koch, were doing what they could to arouse the



people to the necessity of adequately caring for those afflicted, and to guard against others becoming affected. Dr. Trudeau in the Adirondacks was building his cottages for the out-of-door treatment of the tuberculous and his example was being followed by just a few pioneers in this work. Perhaps half a dozen states had built or were building sanatoria for the treatment of these sufferers, largely for demonstrative or experimental purposes, and that was all. Then at least ninety-nine and nine-tenths of the people believed tuberculosis was an inherited disease and that when a person had once acquired it, he had only to wait for death which usually was not so very long in coming. In the beginning it was very difficult, often well-nigh impossible to interest people in this work. However, the leaven gradually spread and the results obtained brought more and more converts and a few more helpers into the fight. With the adoption of preventive and curative methods in various localities, it was observed that the percentage of deaths from tuberculosis in those localities became less and other places commenced to adopt like methods. Now whole states, many of them, and I think I may be permitted to say Michigan (Continued On Page 3)

## A Case in Point

By E. G. PIPP, Detroit

About two years ago, a young woman who was then in my employ and had been for about eight years came to me with the statement that her doctor, one of the best in Detroit, said she had tuberculosis.

There was a spot on each lung, not large, but there just the same.

During the term of her employment we had maintained a camp in northern Michigan for Detroit girls afflicted with tuberculosis, the money for maintaining the camp having been furnished me by good people of Detroit. The girls sent were selected by the Detroit Board of Health.

We had cared for 45 girls, and 38 of them had returned cured. The selection of the patients was entirely up to the Detroit Board of Health, but it had become the work of this particular young woman to keep the records of the patients, to know that they were provided with funds that would make it unnecessary for them to engage in work that would prove unfavorable to their continued progress after their return home.

Her experience had taught her that tuberculosis positively can be cured. She had seen 38 living examples of it.

She knew that there were certain essentials to a sure recovery, and that they are:

The discovery of the disease in its early stages.

Fresh air every minute of the 24 hours of the day.

Absolute rest so that the energy of the body can be used to fight the disease and build up reserve strength.

Wholesome food in sufficient quantities.

Freedom from financial and other worries.

She had all the physical symptoms to substantiate the doctor's diagnosis; a slight fever in the afternoon, mild night sweats, a capricious stomach. In fact those led her to consult the doctor.

She was philosophical about it. She did not leave Detroit, but lived in the outskirts of the city where she could have a comfortable room and fresh air.

For one year her business was that of curing herself. And at the end of the year her doctor said the cure had been brought about.

But during the second year, she has been careful about her work, and has been careful in every way about protecting her lungs.

Today her face is round, her complexion good, her health excellent, but she hasn't lost her caution.

We are too apt to think that all we need to do to fight and whip the Great White Plague is to build hospitals, send the patients through them for a period of several weeks or a few months, and the work is done.

Hospitals which give patients plenty of fresh air, the right kind of food, all the rest they need and freedom from worry can effect a cure if the patient is taken in time.

And environment means a whole lot.

One time our chart showed that every one of eleven patients had lost weight in a single day. One of them had been taken with a severe hemorrhage, and it affected all so that they lost. The one was placed where she

The cuts printed over the top of this page give a small glimpse of some of Michigan's tuberculosis equipment. The scenes depicted here however only hint at what is being done in the Wolverine State to combat the white plague. It is impossible to print cuts of all the sanatoria in the state, but a list of them is as follows: State Sanatorium at Howell, Munising Sanatorium, Forest Beach Sanatorium at New Buffalo, Chippewa County Sanatorium at Sault Ste. Marie, Genesee County Farm at Pin Point, Houghton County Sanatorium at Houghton, Jackson County Tuberculosis Hospital at Jackson, Fairmount Hospital Kalamazoo, Pine Crest Sanatorium (private) at Oshtemo, Ingham County Sanatorium at Lansing, Morgan Heights Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Morgan Heights, Woodlawn Hospital at Muskegon, Municipal Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Grand Rapids, Ontonagon County Sanatorium at Ontonagon, Saginaw City Sanatorium at Lansing, Michigan County Sanatorium at Muskegon, Saginaw County Sanatorium at Saginaw, Chippewa County Sanatorium at Sault Ste. Marie, Hermans Kiefer Hospital at Detroit, Tuberculosis Pavilion (Private) at Detroit, Detroit Tuberculosis Sanatorium (city) at Detroit, Elsie Sanatorium (county) at Detroit, Wadsworth County Sanatorium at Cadillac.

These sanatoria, together with the now under process of construction or soon to be erected, have capacity for about one half the minimum number of beds needed in Michigan. It is estimated that there should be at least as many sanatorium beds as there are annual deaths from tuberculosis in the state. Michigan has gone a long way to that goal during the past few years, but we are still a long ways from providing for the minimum needs of the state.

However, together with the preventoria, the open air schools and several other agencies, the state is beginning to take care of its tuberculous, and the result is being shown in cutting down the death rate to 79.3 per 100,000 during the first six months of 1931, the lowest mark in the history of Michigan.

could have individual care, and the others gained. Another time a natural born trouble maker disturbed the harmony among the others with the same ill effect.

You can't worry and get well; ease of body and ease of mind are essential.

But we must not lose sight either of the before and the after part.

The work is largely educational. Tuberculosis will be whipped finally and fully when the public knows that early discovery means the saving of the life and at the same time preventing the further spread of the disease.

To be sure that the life is saved there must be follow up work after the patient has left the hospital, to see that the conditions which permitted the disease to gain a foot hold in the first place are not permitted to bring on a relapse.

And what is good for the sick is equally good for the well; that which will cure a disease will prevent it.

We should always remember that

tuberculosis hasn't a chance in a well nourished body that breathes fresh air.

To get plenty of nourishment, freedom from worry and fresh air is an industrial question, but so closely connected with the health question as to be a part of it.

We of Michigan should remember that of all the large cities of the world Detroit for a great many years was the freest from tuberculosis, and is now, although our thousand deaths a year are far too many.

A cure can be brought about anywhere in our own state of Michigan.

But the great work of education must go on, as must the work of saving lives and preventing the spread of the disease by caring for the afflicted.

This nation loses three times as many lives each year from tuberculosis as we lost in the great war, and the tremendous loss is needless.

In carrying on the great work of education, we are working not only to help others but to protect ourselves and our own.

of winter, and with winter comes the glad Christmas season, heralded by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association's annual sale of Christmas seals.

The proceeds of this sale will be used in the fight against the tuberculous scourge and will gladden many a heart with the thought that some one does care.

The salesmen receive no remuneration. Their work is a labor of love.

"Buy Christmas seals and save human lives."

"Christmas seal your Christmas mail."

(Signed) ALEX J. GROESBECK, The Capitol, Lansing, Mich., Oct. 17, 1931.

MICHIGAN HEALTH TOAST  
We pledge the health of brother-man throughout our lake-bound state; Of stranger and of next of kin, The lowly and the great.

We pledge pure air on hill and plain, Life out-of-doors' triumphant reign, Success of illness and of pain.

We pledge our state's best wealth: Strength of a clear-eyed, hardy race, Laughter of children, woman's grace, The richest gift in earth's wide space, The heritage of health.

Michigan's Declining Death Rate  
1910..... 87.6 1916..... 82.7  
1917..... 84.6 1917..... 84.7  
1918..... 80.9 1918..... 101.7  
1919..... 87.0 1919..... 85.7  
1920..... 82.3 1920..... 81.5  
1921..... 80.6  
1921, Jan.-June..... 79.3

GOV. ALEX J. GROESBECK  
Honorary President Michigan Tuberculosis Association  
Shortening days, chilly nights and falling leaves warn us of the approach

Gives Close-Ups of Christmas  
Seal Children

By HARRIET CULVER, Detroit Free Press Staff

They gave Anne Lieberman two days to live when she entered the children's building at the Detroit Tuberculosis Sanatorium Nov. 25, 1919.

Now she is acknowledged the mother of all the other babies in her department and a d thought she is a tiny five-year old, she speaks with authority and the little tots obey her gladly.

The chery Christmas Seals have wrought the miracle in Anne's life just as they have helped the scores of children who have been within its snow-white walls since Anna T. Dodge used her money to enable little children to have their fighting chance in life when the shadow of the great White Plague was found to hover over them.

I wish I had time to tell you about all the children who are now under the care of Miss Ethel Dudley who loves them with a love that passeth understanding. There's a human interest story about each one that brings a lump to the throat and a mist to the eyes, from four-year old Ralph who has lain for a year on a Bradford frame but never complains, to 15-year old Ywe Moy, the Chinese lad who has the rare face of an artist and the smile of a little child as he lies on his snowy-pillows and paints pictures for the school room walls.

You would like to meet Otto who was considered a hopeless case a year ago and can now walk and romp about the corridors, and Emma, who is a little totty-potty now in contrast to the emaciated condition she was in last February when she entered the institution and is so affectionate that you couldn't help loving her if you tried.

The world has to be the mother of most of the children who are within the walls of the hospital right now. For sickness and bad luck have combined to deprive these helpless children of the love and protection of mothers and fathers. Some of these children have one parent left but the family circumstances make it impossible for them to give these, their most helpless ones, the care they ought to have. And so it gives one the greatest feeling of thankfulness to know that in the Anna T. Dodge building they are getting that most priceless thing in all the world—whole hearted, sympathetic care. For money can, of itself, buy everything but that. And that is why, in the humblest of hovels, we sometimes find the most wonderful of creatures—the little children who are loved and nurtured by mothers who have time to listen to each heart beat, and to whom they can take all their childish troubles in full confidence that they will find a willing ear to listen to them, and a kiss to make the world all bright again.

You have all heard of Billie, who is one of the oldest babies in the Detroit Tuberculosis Sanatorium. For Billie is five years old and he was the most helpless of all tiny creatures when he entered the institution at the age of ten months. Billie has a father on whom family crew-foot rather lightly, and so all of Billie's five years

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## MICHIGAN'S CLINICS

Sept. 1920, to July, 1921. Incl. Held by State Dept. of Health, the Mich. Tuberculosis Assn. co-operating.

Number of counties covered..... 48

Number of towns covered..... 114

Number examined in tuberculosis clinics..... 2806

Number examined in children's clinics..... 7434

Number examined in ex-soldier clinics..... 159

Number of positive Tb. cases..... 156

Number of suspected Tb. cases..... 730

## Dr. Olin Says—

DR. R. M. OLIN, MICHIGAN Commissioner of Health

"Invest as many pennies in Christmas seals during December as you will in postage stamps and you may feel assured that your act is assisting the state and your own community in the prevention and control of tuberculosis," declares Dr. R. M. Olin, Michigan commissioner of health, in endorsing the Michigan Tuberculosis Association's annual seal sale.

"Unlike many organizations which go to the public for popular support," says Dr. Olin, "this association has a positive record of accomplishment in lowering the tuberculosis death rate and alleviating misery and suffering to which it can point. Buying Christmas seals is not 'giving' money; it is an investment in health, and lives and happiness."

My dear Fellow Workers:

Cooler days of autumn remind us once more that the Christmas season is approaching and with the coming of the Yule-tide again comes the annual sale of Christmas seals. No extraneous work is more important than this. The interest aroused by this sale not only calls the attention of the children and the parents to the great work done in the fight against the white plague, but it also develops an interest in our neighbors and their problems. This goes a long way toward inculcating in a practical manner the spirit of the great commandment: "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and thy neighbor as thyself."

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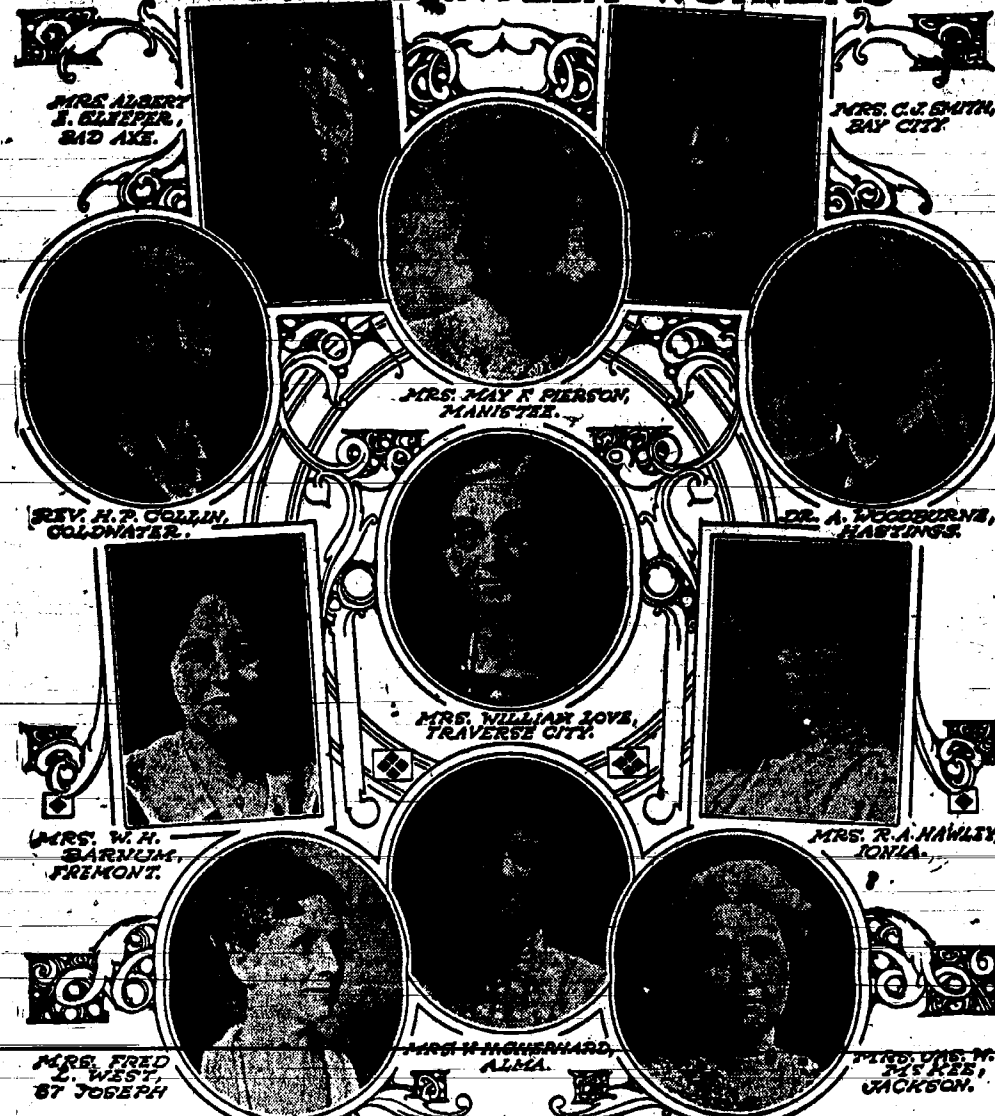






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# A FEW SAMPLES of MICHIGAN'S LARGE ARMY of VOLUNTEER WORKERS



Michigan is particularly fortunate in having a considerable army of men and women who have voluntarily made the fight against tuberculosis their own. They do their work for the love of it, without remuneration of any kind. They can be depended upon each day to help make the seal sale in their communities a success, and all through the year they can be depended upon to advance the tuberculosis fight in every way possible.

It would be impossible to print cuts of all the Michigan workers because their name is legion, but in the above selection a few of the various sections of Michigan are represented. There is hardly a county or city or village in the state that does not contain from one to a dozen workers who give a great deal of their time and attention to the crusade against the white plague, and the effect of this service cannot be estimated. It means much to their home communities, and collectively, it means a great deal to the state of Michigan. Without these men and women the tuberculosis fight would be merely a name; with them it is a reality. If all the people of the state took the same interest in the campaign that is being taken by these workers, the disease could be banished in a comparatively short time.

## EVENING HOUR AT GRAND RAPIDS PREVENTORIUM



When that of seeing to it that the children of Michigan are well fed. Clinic statistics show that a remarkable large percentage of children in Michigan are underweight—children of the well-to-do families as well as of the poor. The Home Demonstration agents and Michigan Agricultural College workers are giving splendid service in this field, and it is particularly the responsibility of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association and all allied tuberculosis societies to help make this work one hundred percent effective. There is room for almost unlimited expansion of the program that has been put into operation. The milk and hot lunch movement is only in its infancy and it needs direction and expansion so that the whole state will be covered. Then there is a great need for preventoria and summer camps in Michigan. There are at present only two of the former, but these two have more than proved their value in saving the lives of children and returning them to health and strength. All children from tuberculous homes or who for one reason or another are threatened by tuberculosis should have the benefit of a preventorium or a summer camp. This is part of the program which the Christmas Seal Sale helps to finance.

### Frank B. Leland Says—

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especially, are making strenuous efforts to stamp out tuberculosis. Certainly very great and encouraging progress has been made.

Every intelligent person now knows that tuberculosis is not an inherited but is a dangerous, communicable disease. Recognition of this fact greatly simplifies our efforts. We now also know that taken in its earlier stages, especially with the young, the hopes of a cure are very great. This is well proven by the fact that out of 243 cases cared for in the children's building of the Detroit Tuberculosis Sanatorium, only 24 were lost, practically all if not all the others being restored to health.

We now also know, or at least I thoroughly believe, that for the almost complete eradication of tuberculosis just two things are necessary. First, education to the point that all understand the necessary steps to guard against tuberculosis and will take those steps, both young and old; and second, isolation in sanatoria or other suitable places, of all open, advanced cases. When these facts are fully realized and these measures taken, the greatest enemy of the human race will be vanquished. We are well on the way to this wonderful result. Hence I say "Hope."

### A Pauperizing Disease

By THEODORE J. WERLE

Tuberculosis is a pauperizing disease. It is not a disease of paupers. Rich and poor alike are its victims. Not long ago one of the workers of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association met a man on a train who was taking his wife—an advanced case of tuberculosis—to a sanatorium. The husband, forced to sell the homestead, realized \$3,000 net after the sale. In two years that sum had been reduced to less than \$1,000, and the children of the family soon may be sanatorium cases.

This man will find in a few weeks that from once being a happy, healthy farm owner, with a wife and three lusty youngsters enjoying Michigan's great outdoors, he has been reduced by tuberculosis to a penniless widower. He has already had to ask for county aid, and the life and health of his children hangs in the balance. Truly tuberculosis is a scourge. Christmas seals are your defense.

Here is another illustration: "The county commissioners have refused to give me help because my wife is an advanced case. They help only indigents. These words on a postcard addressed to the Michigan Tuberculosis Association tell another chapter in the suffering of a man, his wife and three children from tuberculosis.

The wife and mother will die. There is no hope for her recovery. The injustice to the children of such a decision by the county commissioners need not be touched upon. They must be supported out of what remains of a wage of \$15 a week after the necessities of the consumptive and maintenance at \$15 a week in a sanatorium have been paid.

Consider the shortsighted policy of the men who refused aid to this family. There are three children in the family. Without question their long contact with an advanced case of tuberculosis has infected them. The oldest, a boy, has already had to spend weary weeks in a plaster cast because his spine is affected. He may be a hunchback—form of tuberculosis. The hardship and suffering and worry which these little ones are forced to endure while they are waiting for their mother to die is almost certain to advance the disease in them. And the county officers will soon find themselves with three so-called indigent cases (those children probably now are indigents) to provide for. So they and the community will have to pay, and what is more pitiable, so too must the three innocents pay, because all people do not yet know the relentless march of uncurd tuberculosis.

The local tuberculosis society, financed by Christmas seals, has been notified of the case. If Christmas seals were bought generously in this man's county last year and will be bought generously again this year, that local society may be in a position to save these three little lives.

### GIVES CLOSE-UPS OF CHRISTMAS SEAL CHILDREN

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have been spent with the nurses who love him dearly.

Billie specializes in what he calls "big bugs" and he is naturally the pet of the place. He is now so rosy that old-time visitors scarcely recognize him and his one recovery alone more than justifies the time and money spent upon perfecting the children's department of the sanatorium.

There's Claude, as an illustration of the miracle a little case can accomplish. Claude is three years old but his mother has other children who are sick and she is the bread winner of the family besides. It was impossible for her to give him the care he needs and it seemed almost too late to do anything for him last May when he came to the children's building. Now he is a most engaging child with big wonderful eyes and a smile that could win a world, and yet he will, for some time to come, need the aid of the Christmas Seal—the mother seal—fight his battle and how he battles too. But those of us who are well and strong, we want to help them both, don't we?

All the babies I have been telling you about are Christmas Seal babies and so they are our babies, too. All of them would have died long ago had it not been within our power to supply the penalties. All of them face life gladly and will do all that it demands of them if you will keep up the work which you have begun. All of them from little mother Anne to smiling Claude, will need a great deal of care for a long time to come, but the big thing about it is that they are at least upon the great high road of recovery.

I know that you rejoice with me that these wasted lives have not been lived in vain. And I know it is unnecessary to urge you to keep on with the support you have so far given so graciously and so adequately. The children are doing their share nobly. They are unfolding into the blossoms God wanted them to be, and they are radiating love and friendliness and gratitude that strangely warms these dulled hearts of ours as the Christmas season approaches.

It is still a world for little children. And these children need us desperately.

### Sanatoria

Michigan is still 1,400 beds short of the minimum needed for the tuberculous population of the state, even when the sanatoria now under construction in Calhoun, Muskegon, Delta, Menominee and Detroit are completed. That means that there is not one bed for every two patients who urgently need a sanatorium care in this state. Another institution that Michigan needs and which has proved of inestimable value in other states is a State Camp for Convalescents, where sanatorium graduates may go through a hardening process that will prepare them for active life. The Michigan Tuberculosis Association is back of the sanatorium propaganda in every way possible. Past experience has shown that a great deal of education is needed in most counties to arouse public opinion sufficiently so that they will provide adequate sanatoria care for their tuberculosis. The sanatorium movement is gaining in force and the time is ripe for greater efforts to provide at least enough institutions to meet the minimum needs of the state.

A program of active sanatorium building is a big part of the work for the coming year. A big Christmas Seal Sale will mean greater opportunity for carrying out this work.

### A New Hospital is Under Way in San Francisco

at which none but Chinese patients will be received and Chinese physicians and interns employed. It will accommodate 60 patients, according to the Modern Hospital, and will be under the direct control of the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association. Funds for constructing the hospital have been contributed by thousands of Chinese throughout the state.

### Millions for Tuberculosis Deaths

The statistical bulletin of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company reports that during the year 1920, out of nearly \$47,000,000 in death claims, more than \$4,500,000 were paid for deaths resulting from tuberculosis. This disease produced the largest group of losses during the year, despite the fact that the death rate from tuberculosis in 1920 was the lowest in the history of the company, two-fifths below that of 1911.

Commenting on the matter, the bulletin states: "There is still much room for expansion of the educational campaign which has been carried on for years to show the importance of personal hygiene, of early recognition of incipient cases, and of the fresh-air method of treatment."



Christmas Seals Save Human Lives.

### Dr. DeKleine Says—



DR. WM. DE KLEINE, Pres. Michigan Tuberculosis Association.

A penny may seem a small amount with which to combat such a great disease as tuberculosis, but the indications are that the millions of pennies contributed each year at Christmas time by the people of this and other states are winning the battle against the white plague. If anyone before the dawn of history could have seen the little sea insects that built the coral island work cell by cell, he would never have believed that these tiny organisms could eventually cause mighty islands to arise. But countless billions of them in the course of time performed the miracle.

And countless millions of pennies, contributed each year for the tuberculosis fight, are also bringing to pass the health miracle of winning the light against that disease. The time will come some day when tuberculosis will be as rare as smallpox is today. And the Christmas seal sale will be to a large extent responsible for this happy result.

The magnitude of the migratory consumptive problem in Arizona is indicated in certain figures published in a recent issue of the Bulletin of the State Board of Health. Two hundred and sixteen of the 1,104 persons who died in Arizona from tuberculosis in 1919 had resided in the state less than three months; 78 others had been there less than six months, and 73 less than a year. In other words, \$72, 96—practically one-third of the total number of deaths were of persons who had resided in Arizona less than a year. The records further show from what states these health-seekers came. Of the 1,104 cases, only 238 were reported as having contracted the disease in Arizona. In 848 cases, and 73 in all were represented, leaving only Connecticut, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, South Carolina and Vermont.

### The Modern Health Crusade

By HELEN DESPOLDER MOORE

#### WHAT is the Modern Health Crusade?

A campaign which in Michigan is fostered by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, not limited to tuberculosis or to any particular disease but which aims to build up the general health of the child so that susceptibility to disease is lessened.

In brief, the game is as follows: Eleven health chores are listed on each child's card with a space where daily credits may be given for the performance of the same.

Each day shows the debit and credit side of the ledger.

Blank books—and some blanks we must expect, for Johnny being very human is surely some day going to forget to clean his nails and Mary to brush her teeth—but this space acts as a reminder for an extra effort to have a perfect score the next day.

It has the advantage which always comes when young people are grouped. In this case, the object-in-view is the establishment of good health habits in the younger children thru the daily performance of these eleven health chores for which the same calls.

Even such onerous tasks as brushing of teeth and washing of neck and ears can be made a pleasure when worked into an organization's game. This constitutes the foundation of the Modern Health Crusade.

#### WHO are the Modern Health Crusaders?

They are those children who qualify by doing the official health chores and who agree to the pledge printed on the Certificate of Enrollment.

Adults may qualify by doing the senior chores or Honorary Crusaders may be elected by the teachers and Crusaders for services, financial or otherwise, rendered to the cause.

WHERE are these Crusaders to be found?

In the schools of America from the land of the Eskimo to the cotton field of the south and beyond. It is a game where white, black, red and yellow children share equal honors. Children in the mansion need it the same as the pickaninny from the cabin or the little boy in his suit of furs.

#### HOW may we secure this Crusade plan?

Write to the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, 615 Oakland Building, Lansing, for a full description of the game and arrange to have it started in your school.

WHEN will it be possible to have the million school children of Michigan enrolled as Crusaders?

When you and I have bought Christmas Seals as liberally as we should so that sufficient funds are available to supply material and workers to make this dream a reality.

Last year about one child out of eight was Crusaders.

Let us help make it possible to change these figures during the next year.

It is for the people of Michigan to decide during the next few weeks which of these needy children may become squires and knights in this big Crusade for better health.

### A Constructive Tuberculosis Program

In Michigan For 1922

#### MODERN HEALTH CRUSADE

The eradication of tuberculosis is primarily a problem in education. The education of children in hygienic habits of living offers the greatest opportunity for the eventual wiping out of the disease.

The Modern Health Crusade is the big idea that is bringing better health education to the growing generation. It carries good health habits to thousands and hundreds of thousands of children; habits which will stay with them through life and which will help to prevent thousands of cases of tuberculosis in the next generation. Michigan now has an enrollment in the Modern Health Crusade of nearly a quarter of a million, but that is not enough—enough to make Michigan a school population of nearly a million. More than three quarters of a million of Michigan's pupils are still without the advantage of the Crusade.

To bring the Crusade to these hundreds of thousands of pupils a Crusade director is needed. Money is needed to purchase Crusade supplies. More what is just as important, if not more so, the Crusade must be carried from the school-room into the home. There is a great need of giving to school pupils a proper home background of health teaching. The Modern Health Crusade, to be entirely successful, must have the intelligent cooperation of the parents and brothers and sisters at home.

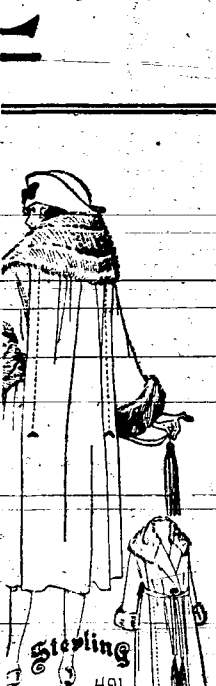
To carry the inspiration of this big movement not only into the schools but into the homes as well is a big task for which workers and supplies are needed. The Christmas Seal Sale is the only means of financing this stupendous enterprise for inducing the life habits of a Nation.

#### NURSES

A public health nurse in a county is a safeguard against the spread of tuberculosis. The money expended on a visiting nurse pays dividends many times over in better health, in decreased suffering and in lives saved from unnecessary death. Michigan has many counties that are without nursing service. Red Cross funds have been exhausted in many places and other funds are not immediately available. A visiting nurse in a county means an outlay of not less than \$150 per month, but it is money well spent. It is a tuberculosis prevention service the value of which cannot very well be estimated. The Michigan Tuberculosis Association is interested in seeing every county in the state supplied with a visiting nurse. The ideal way would be to have supervisors in all counties finance such nurses. To bring the message of this great need before the county bodies and to get public sentiment behind it is a most important task which the Michigan Tuberculosis Association feels obligated to undertake. That cannot be done adequately however without funds. It is hoped that the coming Christmas Seal Sale will be sufficiently large to make it possible to initiate this work on a state wide basis.

#### NUTRITION AND CHILD WELFARE

The well-served child usually keeps tuberculosis at bay, and there is perhaps no more important work



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### A Timely Suggestion.

At the season of the year when cold and careful housewife re-supply of Chamberlain's Remedy. It is almost certain that before the winter is over ults are much more prompt satisfactory when it is kept at hand given as soon as the first signs of a cold appear and before they become settled in the system is no danger in giving it to as it contains no opium nor harmful drug.

### How Not to Take Cold.

Persons are subject to fre- quids, while others seldom, if ve a cold. You will find that they take good care of them- selves. They take a shower or cold bath every day in a warm void overheated rooms, sleep window open or partly open, cesses, over eating, becoming fed and then chilled and get- feet wet. Then, when they first indication of a cold, they Chamberlain's Cough Remedy delay and it is soon over.

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- 's Bed, with- des ..... .75
- Istered rocker, needs a repairing, a in at ..... .75
- I seat rocker, genuine has bent arms, y neat de- ..... 2.50
- Arm chair... ..... 2.00
- 's Blue Cut- ..... 5.00

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new men and to pick up such human  
interest-news as might serve to dress  
up the routine stuff of the day.

Out from the medical examiner's  
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was better than six feet tall and he  
probably stripped to the waist. He picked  
his suitcase out from among a collec  
tion in the hall and started away from  
the building, headed out of the camp  
in palpable dejection. He looked  
like human interest stuff and, with the  
general story that a reporter  
knows how to get away with after a  
few years of practice, I accosted him.

To put it bluntly, the youth had be  
declined by his country in need be  
cause he had TB. He was tuberculous,  
a consumptive.

Up to that moment I had rather un  
terained the idea, at least for some  
years, that it was nothing short of  
criminal for a man to permit himself  
to become a tuberculous victim, and  
especially in Houghton county. Had  
we not been educating the people? Had  
I not written literally hundreds  
of columns of educational matter on  
the Great White Plague? We had  
preached the open window and clean  
living, and outdoor air and good food,  
and here was a great, husky chap,  
splendid material for a soldier, who  
was going home, maybe to die.

He typified to me the necessity for  
eternal vigilance, for persistent, un  
tiring perseverance in the work  
against the plague. And that is why  
the state and country associations  
must be maintained at their fullest  
activity and their highest efficiency,  
not for a time but forever more.

And he is but one of legion, and I  
want to do my little share in prevent  
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vigorous one in every county in the  
state. Some of us cannot engage in  
that work actively, but all of us can  
help it by pushing the Christmas seal  
sale at Christmas time. The seals are  
the ammunition in the battle against  
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provide more ammunition by buying  
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### How One Minister Feels About It



I am a little red seal. I am stamped  
on letters and packages at Christmas  
time. I carry the Christmas spirit of  
goodwill. I go as a gift to the cause  
of Mankind. Just as the Christ Child  
came as a gift to a world in trouble,  
so I go as a gift for folk who are suf  
fering. And I have the satisfaction of  
knowing I am helping people. Tuber  
culosis is preventable and generally  
curable. In 1930 the death rate in  
Michigan was 97.6. Thus far this  
year it is only 79.4. So you see I am  
helping and winning. I am only a  
little red seal, but I am in big business.  
I like to have old folk as my partners  
and I am mightily tickled to have chil  
dren. So buy me—everybody! Use  
me! Send me! And here's to the  
happiest Christmas you ever have  
known!

"Inasmuch"  
EDWIN W. BISHOP,  
Pastor Plymouth Church,  
Lansing, Mich.

### Samuel Gompers Says—

I am very glad to express my own  
personal interest in and endorsement  
of the fourteenth annual Christmas  
Seal Sale to be held in December of  
this year. I sincerely hope that this  
annual event will result not only in a  
much wider extension of the educa  
tional message of the National Tuber  
culosis Association and its affiliated  
agencies than has been possible heretofore,  
but that it will bring to your  
organization a sufficient revenue with  
which to carry on their life-saving  
work during the year 1932.

And amidst of the tremendous toll  
that tuberculosis takes among work  
ing men and working women. So long  
as this disease takes at least one out  
of every six deaths from the ranks of  
workers in this country, so long will  
the American Federation of Labor  
and shouldered to shoulder with the  
national, state and local tuberculosis  
associations of the country in their  
efforts to suppress this deadly plague.

With sincere appreciation of the  
work that you are doing, I am  
Very truly yours,  
(Signed) SAMUEL GOMPERS,  
President, American Federation  
of Labor.

"Rejected"  
By Leo P. Cook

On an early summer day of 1918 the  
Michigan County of Mines is receiving  
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especially in Houghton county. Had  
we not been educating the people? Had  
I not written literally hundreds  
of columns of educational matter on  
the Great White Plague? We had  
preached the open window and clean  
living, and outdoor air and good food,  
and here was a great, husky chap,  
splendid material for a soldier, who  
was going home, maybe to die.

He typified to me the necessity for  
eternal vigilance, for persistent, un  
tiring perseverance in the work  
against the plague. And that is why  
the state and country associations  
must be maintained at their fullest  
activity and their highest efficiency,  
not for a time but forever more.

And he is but one of legion, and I  
want to do my little share in prevent  
ing such tragedies by making the or  
ganized fight against tuberculosis a  
vigorous one in every county in the  
state. Some of us cannot engage in  
that work actively, but all of us can  
help it by pushing the Christmas seal  
sale at Christmas time. The seals are  
the ammunition in the battle against  
this disease and we can all help to  
provide more ammunition by buying  
seals ourselves and encouraging others  
to buy.

### A Contrast

(All Figures Prepared by Bureau of  
Vital Statistics, State Dept. of Health)

IN THE YEAR of our Lord  
1910  
SOME PEOPLE in Michigan  
BOUGHT CHRISTMAS seals to fight  
TUBERCULOSIS and  
FROM THAT day to this  
THAT FIGHT has been on  
AND SINCE 1910  
MORE people have bought  
CHRISTMAS seals so more  
FIGHTING could be done  
UNTIL TO-day the death-rate  
FROM TUBERCULOSIS is  
OUR GOOD state is way down  
TO 79.4  
IN SPITE OF increase in pop  
AS COMPARED with the rate  
97.6  
WHEN THE first seal was sold  
AND THAT is what was.

THIS IS WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN

(All Figures Prepared by Bureau of  
Vital Statistics, State Dept. of Health)

IF there had been no seal  
OR MICHIGAN'S good people  
HAD NOT bought so generously  
TO HELP furnish the sinews  
OF THIS WAR it is safe  
TO BELIEVE the death-rate  
OF TO-DAY would be the same as  
OR GREATER than the rate  
OF 1910

AND IF it had remained as 1910  
1920 WOULD have seen  
588 MORE Michigan funerals

AND TUBERCULOSIS would  
BE THE GRINNING gainer

BUT SINCE 1910

2340  
LIVES HAVE been saved in our state

FROM T. B. alone

AND YOUR pennies helped do it

AND THOSE LIVES are throbbing  
LIVING loving humans

LET'S SAVE a lot more  
DIG IN FROM DIG IN

With Apologies to K. C. B.  
and L. F. B.

Be a "Fresh Air Crank"

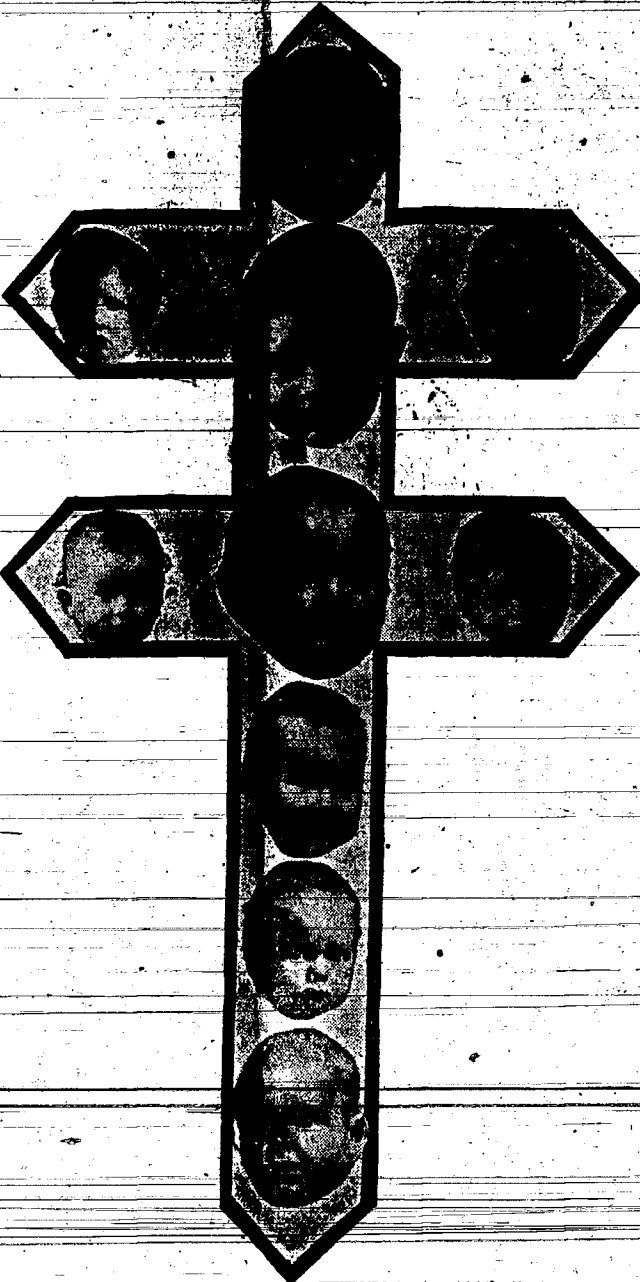
To avoid tuberculosis keep strong  
and healthy. Be a "fresh air crank."  
Insist on pure air day and night, sum  
mer and winter, in your homes, work  
shops, office, school rooms, street cars,  
theaters, and every other enclosure in  
which you must spend part of your  
time. Avoid unventilated, overheated,  
crowded enclosures. These are incu  
bators for tuberculosis germs. Avoid  
dusty places. Dry sweeping and dry  
dusting are dangerous practices. Be  
fore moving into a new house have it  
thoroughly aired, cleaned and washed;  
the former occupant may have been a  
consumptive. Never put pencils, coins  
or other things commonly handled by  
other persons in your mouth. Sun  
shine and fresh air are the greatest  
enemies of tuberculosis. — "Public  
Health."

Don't Worry  
Do not forget the mental condition  
of the tuberculous patient. Worry, no  
matter what the cause may be, and  
homesickness are retarding factors.  
These simply must not be. Keep away  
all mental disturbances if possible,  
and it is usually possible. Too much  
company, too many relatives, someone  
on the premises nagging, the worry  
over money and many other annoy  
ances can and should be obliterated.  
No homesick patient ever recovers.  
Leading patients away is often unjust  
ifiable. Only those should be sent  
away who can go and remain long  
enough to be cured, if curable, with  
out any worries regarding finance. He  
should not be sent away alone to a  
new community where no one cares  
for him except to get his money, and  
where there is every inducement to  
become lonesome and homesick. Peace  
of mind is as necessary as a quiet  
body. — "Public Health."

Christmas Seal Your Christmas  
Mail.

And suppose that effort consisted  
mostly of buying a stamp such as you  
place upon a letter. Suppose you were  
assured that the letters you sent out  
around Christmas time carrying good  
will to men could also for the price of  
a stamp, be the means of carrying good  
will to those who are threatened by, or  
afflicted with this plague. How many  
would it take you to provide yourself  
with a sufficient number of such  
stamps to cover your correspondence?  
Be assured of the truth of this. If  
you can afford to pay only for a day  
of sunlight, care and rest, for a gen  
tlerous ex-service man, you are not  
only a patriot and a humanitarian, but  
you are living up to the fullest conse

### Christmas Seals Save Babies



Behold here ranged on the Double Red Cross a group of "one hundred per cent" babies. Every one of these tots is fat and healthy. Their smiles alone  
tell you that they don't know what illness is. They never have been  
ill and they have a hearty, robust chance to grow up into strong men and wo  
men. To help make and keep all babies in Michigan like this group is one of  
the aims of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association. The Christmas seal will  
help to do this.

### THE WHITE DEATH

By A. P. JOHNSON, Publisher of the Grand Rapids News

When, along with war, the world  
has rid itself of tuberculosis, we will  
near the millennium. We will then  
have eliminated more than half of all  
the suffering that exists. It is safe to  
say that when we stamp out tuber  
culosis we will free man's mind of many  
of the abnormalities that make for  
war, for poverty, for social and eco  
nomic depression.

I shall not go into figures. They are  
too staggering. Let it suffice that only  
a few, a very few, go through life  
without scarred lungs. Only a few es  
cape at least a touch of the germ that  
heralds the "white death." So gen  
eral is this disorder that within two  
generations of nearly every family a  
claims one or a number. Tuberculosis  
is man's bitterest opponent, his most  
uncompromising antagonist, his dead  
liest foe.

Tuberculosis is distinctly a product  
of civilization. It does not inhere in  
the natural organic life. It's a coward  
ly disease that attacks the oppressed,  
the depressed, the weak, the unpro  
tecting. It follows usually in the path  
of other disorders brought about by  
exposure or carelessness. The carrier  
waits for its prey to die. Other car  
riers animals in proportion to their  
strength and bravery, or as they may  
be pressed by hunger, meet their prey  
in struggle. Not so with tuberculosis.  
It seeks its victim after the struggle  
from which the sufferer may have  
survived.

Nothing yields with greater readi  
ness to any form of oppression than  
cowardice. That is one reason why  
tuberculosis can be exterminated. It  
is the great human disorder that we  
know can be stopped. Tuberculosis  
fears the air, the sunlight. It shuns  
kindness, care and attention. Like the  
creeping, crawling things that get  
under stones and scrub and creep in  
dark, damp places, it scurries off and  
burrows itself elsewhere when the  
rays of the sun and the sun's bright  
rays penetrate the gloom. To be cured  
of tuberculosis requires less medicine  
than is necessary to banish the sim  
plest stomach ache. What is required  
is air, sunlight and rest. Therefore  
this, what would you not do to provide  
these rich gifts in their utmost abun  
dant for those upon whose check to  
stamp the shadow of the white  
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### Why I Buy Christmas Seals And Why You Should Buy Them

By WILL ROSS

When I see Christmas Seals on sale  
in the drug stores and department  
stores and sold by smiling young wo  
men in the postoffice lobbies, or when  
little school children importune me to  
buy them, I do not think of these  
brightly colored little seals as simply  
strips of gaudy paper. To me they  
are smiling, bright, active little in  
dividuals, each one of them filled with  
one cent's worth of ability to help  
drive out this scourge of tuberculosis.

Perhaps tuberculosis means more to  
me than it does to you. Perhaps it  
does, for I have had it, and I know  
what it means to have had tuberculosis  
for months, into the years, fighting  
this disease that only time, rest, good  
food, fresh air, and persistence can  
hope to beat.

And I buy Christmas Seals gladly—  
up to the limit of my ability. Perhaps  
I even stretch this ability a bit. For  
to me each one of these seals brings  
up visions of well equipped tuber  
culosis sanatoria where those Mich  
igan tuberculosis are given fighting  
chance to get well; of visiting nurses  
going into homes to relieve those al  
ready afflicted and to protect the well  
against the dangers of contracting the  
disease; of open air schools where lit  
tle children are building up a resist  
ance against disease before disease  
has had its chance to fasten upon  
them; of day camps, of free dispen  
saries, of books teaching the lessons  
of right living, of free clinics—of a  
hundred and one things that are being  
done to free the world from tuber  
culosis.

And if I were you I would buy  
Christmas seals whether or not I or  
any of my family have had tubercu  
losis. For I would want to do my  
share in stopping the onward drive  
of tuberculosis. I would be willing to  
pay every cent that I could afford, to  
safeguard the future of those I love,  
for I know, as you know, that no one  
of us can force when he or she must  
face this disease which is all about us.

So you and I this Christmas should  
buy Christmas Seals for every letter  
and package that we send out. And  
as we send them on their mission of  
Christmas cheer, think of them as  
having a larger, finer mission—that  
of making a safer, cheer  
fuler world to live in.

### How the Christmas Seal Originated

The Christmas Seal is now almost  
as familiar as Christmas itself, and  
it is hard to imagine a time when the  
seal was not in existence. But the  
seal is only celebrating its fourteenth  
birthday this year. Miss Emily F.

Bissell, of Delaware was the origina  
tor of the idea in this country and it  
was due to her energy that we took  
such strong hold from the first. She  
obtained her idea from article by  
Jacob Riis in which he described the  
use of a little seal in Denmark to se  
cure funds for a hospital there.

Miss Bissell, in October, 1907, pro  
posed to the Delaware Red Cross to  
put a similar seal on sale, but it was  
not until after she had secured a  
pledge of \$40 from friends to back up  
the project, that the now familiar  
Christmas stickers were placed on sale.

Miss Bissell secured the support of  
Philadelphia stores, the managers of  
which were very skeptical at first.  
But the idea caught on from the first.  
Miss Bissell told the story in her  
own words:

"Our utmost hope had been to sell  
50,000 seals, and this was all we had  
ordered. In consequence of having  
placed such a small order, we were  
not able to get successive printings  
quickly enough to fill the demand; but

altogether we had printed and sold  
about 400,000. In Wanamaker's alone,  
where the advertising expert had es  
timated no more could be sold, 50,000  
seals were taken up by the buyers, of  
whom many were from other points  
than Delaware. We also sold many  
seals in the corridor of the Philadel  
phia post-office.

"With \$1,000 of the money raised  
by the first Red Cross seal sale the  
Delaware Red Cross paid the first in  
stallment on the site of the first  
tuberculosis sanatorium in Delaware,  
Hope Farm.

"By this time, the interest of the  
whole state was aroused, and in the  
next legislature the Red Cross backed  
a bill for a State Tuberculosis Com  
mission, with an appropriation of  
\$20,000 a year, and put it through both  
houses unanimously, this being the  
start of the permanent tuberculosis  
work in our state."

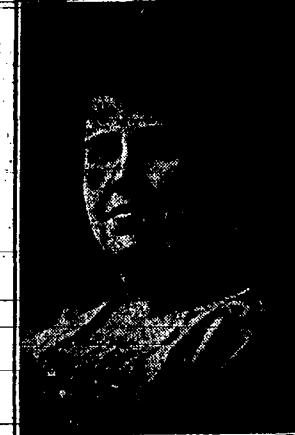
From such small beginnings has  
grown the tremendous volume of seals  
sold each year in every state in the  
Union, so that they are printed in lots  
of hundreds of millions each fall by  
the National Tuberculosis association,  
it is the little seal, which had such a  
humble origin only fourteen years ago  
that today practically finances the  
whole tuberculosis campaign in Am  
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If the seal sale is a success this  
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### Mrs. Alvord Says—



MRS. W. R. ALVORD,  
President Michigan State Federation  
of Women's Clubs

"The organized women of the state  
are back of the Christmas seal sale  
to the last man—if I may be allowed  
that expression," said Mrs. Wm. R.  
Alvord, president of the State Federa  
tion of Women's Clubs. "In very  
many of the cities in the state the  
Woman's Club is in charge of the seal  
sale each year, and wherever there is  
a woman's club it is invariably in  
sympathy with the efforts that are be  
ing made through the annual seal  
sale to stamp out tuberculosis in Mich  
igan.

"The women of Michigan have al  
ways taken an active part in all  
health work in the state, and I am  
certain that they will do all in their  
power to make the seal sale of 1931  
the most successful in the state's his  
tory. The State Federation is hearti  
ly with the Michigan Tuberculosis as  
sociation in its work."

The Modern Health Crusade has  
found its way into twenty-five of the  
eighty-three counties at the state be  
fore the year is over it is hoped that  
every county will be represented. In  
many of these counties the nurse or  
some member of the tuberculosis or  
ganization is carrying on the work  
while in others the teachers are do  
ing it themselves.

Michigan's Seal Sale Committee for 1931

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MRS. L. L. MAUTNER, Saginaw



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Battle Creek

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## LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1921.

Miss Mae McCarthy enjoyed Thanksgiving with friends in Manistee.

Mrs. Rose Pond has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Brady at Kingsley since Wednesday of last week.

Frank DeLugach returned Sunday to Chicago.

Dell Walt of Detroit arrived Thursday to visit friends over Thanksgiving.

H. A. Shields and John Glasser of Gaylord visited O. A. Hilton Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Craven of Frederic was in Grayling one day last week on business.

Miss Dorothy Peterson is assisting in the Sorenson Bros. store during the holiday rush.

Emil Giegling and sister, Miss Helen visited at their home in Manistee over Thanksgiving.

Arthur C. McIntyre, who is attending M. A. C. spent the Thanksgiving vacation at his home here.

Mrs. R. D. Bailey and daughters Leila and Janice were guests of relatives at Gaylord over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. B. A. Cooley enjoyed Thanksgiving with her mother Mrs. A. J. Peterson and other relatives in Vanderbilt.

Miss Anna Neilsen enjoyed Thanksgiving with the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson at their home in Grand Rapids.

Peter Olson of Detroit spent the latter part of the week in Grayling visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Olson.

Regular meeting of American Legion Post 106 at I. O. O. F. lodge rooms next Monday night, Dec. 4. All members out.

Marshall Holliday was home from Detroit over Thanksgiving the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Holliday.

Miss Clara Nelson of Johannesburg visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lars Nelson over Thanksgiving and the week-end.

R. H. Gillett, of the Grayling Dowel & Tie Plug Company left Sunday on a business trip to Chicago, to be gone until Thursday.

Little Marion Miller, daughter of Mrs. Earl Whipple, who was so seriously ill with typhoid fever is now able to be up and around her home.

Miss Beatrice Ketzbeck of Gaylord visited relatives and friends in Grayling Thanksgiving, coming to attend the dancing party held here the evening of that day.

There will be a game of basketball between the Frederic High school boys and Vanderbilt high school Friday evening, Dec. 2 at Frederic. Dance after the game.

Mrs. Etta Phelps and son John returned Saturday from Ortonville where they had been guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coventry for Thanksgiving.

Photographs are the cheapest and most appropriate present you can give. Why not have a dozen photos made for Christmas and put the rest of your money in the bank.

Mrs. Claud Gilson returned Thursday from Sunfield, where she has been visiting her parents for the past two weeks. Mr. Gilson was away hunting in the Upper Peninsula.

Miss Angela Amborski returned Monday from spending a few days at her home in Gaylord. Miss Esthel Peterson who accompanied her home was her guest over Thanksgiving.

Notice to Tax Payers of Frederic Township—From Dec. 12 to 24 I will be at Frederic Bank. Thereafter at my residence.

C. S. Barber, Td. Treasurer, 12-1-3

When in Bay City stop with S. Cheshohn, 714 Fifth Ave. Nice large rooms. Good beds. Modern conveniences. Rates one dollar per day.

Carl Johnson, traveling salesman for the Salling-Hanson company, came home over Thanksgiving the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Johnson.

One dozen photos will make 12 gifts. Wingard makes them at prices ranging from \$3.50 to \$12.00 per dozen. Divide the price you can afford to pay by 12 and you have the price of each gift. Think it over.

Mrs. Edward Hagle and daughter, Miss June, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bailey left Wednesday of last week to join Mr. Hagle, who is employed at Vassar.

Arthur Poole, head machinist for Salling-Hanson company has been at Johannesburg the past week doing some repair work for the Johannesburg Manufacturing company. He spent Thanksgiving day at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Benson entertained Mrs. Theodore Soderquist, and Mrs. O. P. Hanson of Bay City Thanksgiving. Both ladies are sisters of Mr. Benson. Miss Grace Soderquist, who accompanied them returned Monday the guest of Miss Dorothy Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Connine have returned to their home in Detroit having been guests over Thanksgiving of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Connine. They took home their little daughter Mary Gretchen, who has been visiting her grandparents since late in the summer.

A letter from David Kneth, who with his wife and son, Roger, are spending the winter motoring thru the southern and western states, says that they are now at Burbank, Calif., where they expect to be for a month. Mr. Kneth says that the days are very warm in that part, but that the nights are cold.

Miss Elizabeth Wells of Benton Harbor and Miss Nettie Loss of Vassar, both of whom are teaching in the Flint public schools this year were pleasant guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thorwald P. Peterson over Thanksgiving. Both were former teachers in the Grayling schools, Miss Wells as principal and Miss Loss as teacher of mathematics.

Everybody help boost the sale of Christmas seals, put a seal on all the letters and packages you mail. Buy from the school children. Buy from the teacher you wish to win. Fifty per cent of the money from the sale of seals is spent in the county. The Governor says: Buy Christmas seals and save human lives, and fight tuberculosis. The sale is now on. See your school boys or girls. They will supply you.

Mrs. and Mr. William Woodfield of 305 1/2 E. Dayton St., Flint, Mich., celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in their home, Tuesday evening November 22, with a dinner at which their five daughters, accompanied by their husbands and their one son and his wife, were guests.

Dinner was served in three courses, a color scheme of gold and white predominating. Bowls of yellow flowers were effectively disposed about the house. Both Mr. and Mrs. Woodfield are 71 years of age. Their wedding took place in Whitnash church, Warwickshire, England in 1871. They came to United States about 38 years ago and settled in Grayling where they lived for 35 years; then moved to Flint to be nearer their children.

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Woodfield are Mrs. Archie McKay, Mrs. H. L. Kincaid, and Mrs. Wm. Rhoademaker, all of Flint; Mrs. Wm. Finley of Bay City; Mrs. Robert Schenck of Detroit; and William Woodfield Jr., of Flint.

Tanlac will overcome that run down debilitated condition and make you feel just like your old self again. A. M. Lewis, Druggist.

Frank DeLugach made a business trip to West Branch Monday.

Jack Souvign of AuGres visited in Grayling Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Roberts left Monday for Cheboygan to visit relatives.

Mrs. A. J. Joseph and son Billy left Wednesday to visit friends and relatives in Detroit.

Clean cotton wiping rags wanted at the Avalanche office. We pay 5c a pound for them.

Miss Edith Olson of East Jordan was a guest of Miss Marjorie Wood over Thanksgiving.

Mr. Herbert S. Smith of Northville, Mich., was a guest of Miss Isa Granter over Thanksgiving.

Miss Helen Flynn of Mercy Hospital returned Friday from a visit with her parents at Rose City.

Mrs. Clarence Mohn of Gaylord was a guest of her son J. W. Leizkus and wife the fore part of the week.

There is no sewing machine that equals the Singer. Come around and let me demonstrate them. Thos. Cassidy, Agent.

Do not delay buying your ticket for the anniversary banquet at the Michigan Memorial Church Dec. 8th, beyond Monday noon.

Special display of fancy goods at the Hat Shop next Monday. Just what you ladies are looking for.

Mrs. Allyn Kidston and daughter, Ada left Friday for Pinconning to visit the former's parents until Monday.

O. A. Hilton left Thursday for Gaylord to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Van Doran.

Miss Edna Taylor who is employed in a Detroit real estate office spent Thursday with her father (Oscar) Taylor.

Mrs. Belle Shells came from Roscommon Wednesday of last week to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Wilber.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larson and children of Johannesburg, were guests of Mrs. Larson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen over Sunday.

Mrs. Wilhelm Rane of Johannesburg entertained twelve young ladies at a Thanksgiving party at her home in honor of her sister, Miss Clara Nelson.

Roy Barber and family, Mr. Forest Barber and Miss Verna Biggs were guests of the gentlemen's parents in West Branch over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Charles Schreck and Miss Marcella Sullivan left Friday for Bay City to visit the former's daughter, Mrs. W. E. Russell and family for a few days.

For the convenience of the tax payers of Grayling Township I will be located at the Register of Deeds office in and after Dec. 5th for the collection of taxes.

Buy Christmas seals for your letters and packages. Every cent you spend will be used in fighting tuberculosis and to save human lives. Your school boys and girls will supply you. Now on sale.

You will find a complete line of winter back picture frames at Winland's Studio. Also a beautiful selection of mouldings for framing pictures. We frame pictures the same day you bring them in.

Mrs. Frank Woodruff, daughter, Miss Ruth, and son Kenneth, and Mr. Forest Buchanan were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown over Thanksgiving. They returned to their home in Bay City Friday.

Roscommon has a new postmistress, Mrs. Margaret McCrea, who will take up her duties Dec. 15th. The lady succeeds Michael W. Gibbons, who has tendered his resignation. Mr. Gibbons' term would have expired January 24, 1922.

The first Crawford county farmer to have his herd of cattle tested for tuberculosis and disease is Eugene Schreiber, Jr. He has a herd of Holstein cattle, everyone of which stands 100 per cent healthy. This is a good move in the right direction, and no doubt the good work will continue.

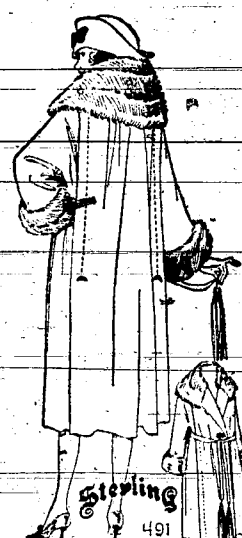
A good size crowd attended the dancing party at the Temple theatre in Thanksgiving night, given under the auspices of Grayling Post 106 American Legion. Among those present was a number of out-of-town guests. Clark's orchestra of six pieces furnished the music and the party was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

Messrs William H. Cody, George Clarke, Joseph Burton and Claud Gilson returned Wednesday of last week from their annual deer hunt in the Upper Peninsula. They left Grayling a few days previous to the opening of the deer hunting season and went to Ontonagon and from there went into what are known as the Porcupine mountains. Everyone filled his license, and besides enjoyed a fine fortnight of recreation. Mr. Cody succeeded in getting the largest buck.

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## STATE NEWS

**Marshall**—Farm laborers are in demand for the first time in many months in Calhoun County. R. N. M. Roland, county agent, reports.

**Albion**—The Federation of Women's Clubs is furnishing free milk daily to undernourished school children in the lower grades of the city schools.

**Big Rapids**—George Riebow is in a critical condition as the result of injuries received when his clothes were caught in a corn shredder. His left side was lacerated.

**Cheboygan**—Hughie Witham told officers, when they confiscated his still that he drank six gallons of home-made whiskey in one week. He is at the Cheboygan County farm convalescing.

**Monroe**—Charged with committing a serious offense against two Monroe girls, 13 and 18, Clarence Neidig, 32, laborer, of this city, pleaded not guilty in justice court and was bound over to the circuit court.

**Port Huron**—Charles Cole, 74, of Fremont township, Sanilac county, was burned to death when his farm residence was destroyed by fire. Neighbors were unable to save him. He was alone in the house.

**Reed City**—Jack Washburn, Grand Rapids, on parole, was arrested by Sheriff W. H. Echlin of Reed City for the burglary of a store. The sheriff declares he found goods stolen from the store in Washburn's room.

**Owosso**—Carl Hall Dewey, former director of the Greater Owosso band, and prominent in music circles in Michigan for a number of years, has been chosen director of the newly organized 119th field artillery band in Lansing.

**Battle Creek**—All cows that have not received a tuberculosis test before Jan. 1 will be barred from furnishing milk to Battle Creek, Fred Barnard, milk inspector, announced. Forty per cent of the cattle have been examined.

**Lansing**—Approximately 175,000 certificates of title have been issued to motor vehicle owners by the department of state. There are in the neighborhood of 500,000 car owners who must secure certificates before next July.

**Albion**—An offer from a large Michigan city to move Albion College there, provide it with a campus of 100 acres and an endowment fund of \$5,000,000, has been rejected. President John W. Baird said. He did not name the city.

**Grand Rapids**—George W. Merriam, private banker of Hartford, who closed his bank to avoid a run, has filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in United States district court. He places his assets at \$235,552 and his debts at \$27,705.

**Kalamazoo**—The first step in the merging of the Kalamazoo-Woodbury line with the Michigan Central came with the abandonment of the Hastings Station on the Chicago, Kalamazoo & Saginaw railroad. All trains will be run into the Michigan Central Station at Hastings.

**Lansing**—The meeting at Battle Creek, Dec. 20-23 of state directors of physical education has been approved by the United States Commissioner of Education Tigert, and the governors of Mississippi, Missouri and West Virginia have written Gov. Groesbeck naming representatives.

**Saginaw**—Mrs. Evangeline G. Telf, Saginaw County school commissioner, the first woman to be elected to such an office in Michigan, has resigned, effective Nov. 30, and will enter the attendance department of the Detroit Board of Education. She has held her present office two and one-half years.

**Bad Axe**—At a gathering of 200 local business men, 90 per cent Republicans, Joseph Fremont, Democrat, and postmaster here for seven years, was unanimously endorsed for another term. Three prominent Republicans had been mentioned for the place. This action is unprecedented in this strongly Republican center.

**Lansing**—The state prison commission was authorized to meet at Marquette soon in an effort to finally settle and put on a going basis the business of the branch prison there. The books of the institution are now in the process of a thorough auditing. The industries will be checked and new systems will be installed.

**Port Huron**—Whether the bathing privileges of the St. Clair river at Point DuChene are exclusively for use of the colony of Detroiters who own river front property, or may be used by "backloters," is the problem before Circuit Judge Harvey Tappan. Suit has been brought by Frances Eby for the "back loters" against Henry A. Neal.

**Holland**—Levi Tuttle, in charge of the federal troops who captured Jeff Davis and said to be the last of the detail of 23 men who took Davis, is dead at his home near here. He was 35 years old. Tuttle said the rest of the command had surrounded the place where Davis was in hiding and Tuttle recognized the southern president when he attempted to flee, disguised as an old woman with a milk pail in his hand. Tuttle was born in New York in 1859 and came to Michigan when 21 years old. He lived in Detroit for several years.

**New Mountain**—B. W. Olson, from Sweden, arrived at Henry Ford's camp at Stinson to demonstrate a power tree-felling saw, of which he is the inventor. He believes the saw will mark a new departure in the history of tree-felling. The saw is easily portable and is operated by a man. It is a fraction of the size of the most experienced saws and is operated by a man. The saw is easily portable and is operated by a man. It is a fraction of the size of the most experienced saws and is operated by a man.

**Muskegon**—Jumpy bus owners of Muskegon agreed to stop bus service in the city at once if the street cars will be operated at a lower passenger fare charge. They ask a 5-cent fare with a 2-cent transfer.

**St. Louis**—The local factory of the Holland-St. Louis Sugar company paid approximately \$160,000 to the farmers of this vicinity for beets hauled in October. It is estimated that the tonnage of this season will be about normal.

**Grand Rapids**—William Marshall has started suit in circuit court against the Michigan Railway Co. for \$2,000 damages as a result of injuries received when the automobile he was driving was struck at a crossing by an interurban car.

**Muskegon**—Circuit Judge Vanderwerp has suggested that attorneys who obtain divorces with alimony follow the cases and see that the alimony is paid. Failure to pay alimony is costing the county thousands in widow pensions, he said.

**East Lansing**—The annual meeting of the Michigan Beekeepers' association will be held in Lansing-December 1, 2 and 3, according to announcement of R. T. Kelly, secretary of the association, and bee specialist at the Michigan Agricultural college.

**Owosso**—Walking directly in front of a slow-moving Ann Arbor passenger train that was pulling into the station, Margaret Campbell, 5 years old, daughter of William Campbell, was thrown under the wheels, and her left leg was severed at the ankle.

**Pontiac**—Valuation of lake property on the tax rolls was ordered cut by Judge Guy Smith in circuit court here. In two cases, on specific parcels, the owners of which claimed were unjustly taxed. One valuation was ordered cut from \$100,000 to \$60,000.

**Kalamazoo**—After living together for 24 years, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall G. Phares were divorced. The divorced wife went to Chicago to live. Now, after two years, the husband has obtained a license to remarry his former wife. He is 56 and she, 57.

**Charlotte**—Attacked by a bear Sam Smith, a farmer living near Nashville, is in a serious condition. The animal belonged to a neighbor and had escaped its enclosure. As Smith tried to drive it home, it attacked him, inflicting a deep wound in the thigh which required 20 stitches to close.

**Kalamazoo**—Although a liberal settlement had been offered and refused, the jury in the case of Charles Lowe, against Charles Cross and George Lowe, returned a verdict for only \$110.75. Lowe sued for \$15,000 for injuries received when he fell down an open elevator shaft at their warehouse.

**Mt. Clemens**—A coroner's jury in the circuit court, after being absent from the room for fifteen minutes, returned a verdict, exonerating the driver of a green bus which went into a ditch on the Gratiot road last week. Mrs. Alice Kenyon of Detroit, an occupant of the bus, died from injuries received in the accident.

**East Lansing**—State correctional board ordered Ike Bloem, special agent for the state administrative board, to go to Washington for the purpose of purchasing army supplies for the State Industrial School for Boys. A successor to former Superintendent Joseph M. Frost will not be appointed for a few days.

**Pontiac**—Kurtz was given a verdict of \$17,000 in the circuit court here in his suit for \$50,000 damages against the D. U. R. for the loss of a leg. Kurtz claimed a D. U. R. car injured him when an automobile in which he was riding was run into on a crossing. He said his left leg was so badly injured it had to be amputated.

**Lansing**—Governor Groesbeck ordered the release from the Detroit House of Correction of William H. Currier and Archibald McHugh, Pontiac chiropractors, sentenced to serve 65 days and pay \$200 each for failure to obtain a license. The governor said they were released on the understanding that they will obey the law.

**Battle Creek**—Fred E. Pantlind, of Grand Rapids, was placed in general charge of the Roosevelt American Legion hospital. A Detroit tuberculosis specialist will act as his executive secretary and have charge of actual operation of this institution. The hospital is to open Dec. 6, announcement by Paul A. Martin, department commander, said.

**Kalamazoo**—When a man leaves the employ of a company, he forfeits all right to a bonus which may later be granted by the company to its employees, even though the grant be made for a period covering his services. That is the ruling of Judge Welmer in the case of Arthur Ketcham, who sought a share in the \$60,000 bonus granted by the Michigan Railway Co. two years ago, after he left the company. The decision set a precedent for a score or more of similar cases which were in preparation.

**Houghton**—Sale of 20,000,000 feet of standing sawlog timber in Houghton county has been made to the Pampa Land company, a newly formed concern. Most of the timber was owned by the Winona Mining company. The remainder was owned by several small holders. The Pampa company will establish a sawmill plant at Winona. Since the shutdown of the Winona mine, the place has been almost deserted. The Winona company has arranged to sell power to the new concern, which also will use the Winona's electric railway and equipment.

**Battle Creek**—The Calhoun County sheriff's department has lost trace of Deputy Frank Farnet, who started for Frankfort, Ky., to secure extradition of Michael Connor, wanted here on a charge of violating the Michigan Blue Sky Law. Farnet was awaiting in Louisville court to arrest Connor when he appeared on a vagrancy charge. Connor failed to appear, and a few days later clothing was found on a railroad bridge and a "suicide note" was received by his wife. It is believed here Farnet may be making a secret search for Connor.

## DECLARES FRANCE FIGHTS FOR WORLD

**BRIAND SAYS PEACE OF ALL NATIONS THREATENED IF ARMY IS REDUCED.**

## FORMER GERMANY LIES IN WAIT

**Old Monarchists Still Plotting for Revenge And Would Overthrow Democratic Government.**

New York.—Disarmament of France would end world peace and would be a temptation for imperialistic Germany to come back into power, Premier Aristide Briand declared in a farewell message to the American people, delivered before the Lotus club of this city.

France, he said, wanted peace and wanted to live on amicable terms with a democratic Germany. "But the former Germany has not disappeared," he asserted. "She is still lying in wait, still plotting, still trying to revive hopes of revenge. She is still keeping an army in certain form. How could you expect France to disarm in such a situation? If France was unable to defend herself, democratic Germany would be overthrown and the old imperialistic Germany would come back into power. If she weakened herself, it would end the peace of the world. France has not the right to desert the cause of democracy and peace."

**Hopes for Better Germany.** "France has been fighting not for her security alone," he added, "but she has been fighting in the service of the whole civilized world. France has the right to desert its own cause or the cause of peace. What she wishes to see is a Germany with which she can maintain noble relations. She is only too anxious to have her voice heard on the other side of the frontier."

"France is a nation that loves peace and hates war," he continued, "and if there is one nation that wishes to have war ceased forever from the face of the world, I have a right to say that that is my country. I have told you, gentlemen, and I have told it at Washington, and am glad to repeat it here, that you will never see France again as a nation that loves war. France has an army—if she has an army it is because she is obliged to have one to defend her life, her independence, her liberty and her dignity. France has an army which is ready to serve the cause of the world by protecting it against disorder and anarchy in whatever form they may present themselves."

## BELIEVES CHAMPLAIN INSANE

**Warden Hurlbert Orders Examination of Slayer's Condition.**

Jackson.—Warden Hurlbert of the Michigan state prison here has decided to order an examination to determine the mental condition of Richard Champlain, 22-year-old war veteran who murdered his parents.

Champlain confessed to his 19-year-old sweetheart Clara Humpert, a country school teacher, and was sentenced to life imprisonment on Saturday, Nov. 19.

He said that he shot his mother and father in their home in Hemlock, Mich., and then set fire to the house, because they criticized his sweetheart because of her religious belief.

## SLACK CASE NOW IN PROGRESS

**Judge Johnson Consents to Separate Trial for Widow.**

Three Rivers, Mich.—A jury was completed Nov. 25 before Judge Clayton Johnson to hear the trial of Mrs. Lavine Plummer Slack charged with the murder of her husband. First testimony was heard at Centerville, Monday. The principal development in the case during the day was the judge's granting of a motion for a separate trial for Mrs. Slack. The woman had been accused jointly with her brother-in-law, George Cooney, of Gladwin, Mich. Forty-four witnesses have been summoned.

## CONVICTS MAKE HATS, SHOES

**Inmates of State Institutions Will Wear Own Products.**

Lansing.—Inmates of Michigan penal institutions are to enter the hat and shoe making industries and will wear their own products. The state recently purchased machinery for turning out headgear and footwear that had been installed by the government at Camp Custer. The shoe-making industry was designated for the reformatory at Ionia, while the Marquette inmates will turn out the hats.

## "Dead Men Tell No Tales."

Ironwood.—An investigation was started in an effort to clear up the mystery surrounding the death of Carl Aronstedt of Marquette, deer hunter, near whose body was found a note reading: "Somebody shot me." While searching for a clue, friends of Aronstedt found a new note nailed to a tree. It read: "Dead men tell no tales." It was reported Aronstedt had ordered a party of men off the land on which he was shot. Eight shots had been fired from his gun.

## Gives Court "Victim's" Address.

Paris.—In a hushed court Henri Landru, alleged "Bluebeard," kept his promise to give the prosecution the address of the Widow Heon, who was presumed to have been murdered Oct. 5, 1916. Landru said that when authorities had investigated all shipping circles in search of the woman Mme. Heon was living in a flat next door to his own apartment in Paris and she had left this flat before he departed for his Gambais villa. The presiding judge ordered an investigation.

## HENRI LANDRU



Henri Landru, alleged French "Bluebeard," accused of the murder of 11 women, 10 of whom he is said to have lured through promises of marriage. The case, now being tried in Paris, has attracted nation-wide attention. Landru is defending his own case. He is said to be cool to a point of boldness, hardly flinching even when there was offered in evidence bones found at his villa and said to be remains of the bodies of women cremated by him.

## CUSTER IS FAST DISAPPEARING

**Camp Buildings Either Razed or Slowly Decaying Away.**

Battle Creek.—Camp Custer, the home of Michigan and Wisconsin soldiers during their period of training for the world war, presents little of its former appearance. The 7,000 acre tract, upon which was built one of the finest training camps in America, slowly is assuming the appearance of desolation and ruin.

In the west part of the reservation the barracks still are standing, with porch banisters hanging, windows broken, steps missing and in many cases unroofed. Hundreds of these buildings are to be seen, slowly crumbling into decay.

## ARMY MEN FAVOR USE OF GAS

**Experts Advise Against Restricting Poison in Warfare.**

Washington.—Experts of the American Army will advise against restricting the use of poison gases in warfare. The question is now receiving study at the hands of a board of experts, to which it was referred by the Conference on the Limitation of Armaments. Army opinion favors prohibiting the use of gases against civilians, but aside from that would allow its free use in battle.

## ELECTION CONTEST UP JAN. 1st

**Senators Agree to Postpone Hearing of Newberry Case.**

Washington.—Under an agreement reached last week between Republican and Democratic members of the Senate Elections Committee, final consideration of the Newberry election contest case is postponed until the fourth calendar day in which the Senate is in session after January 1, 1922.

## LOOK FOR IRISH SETTLEMENT

**Success or Failure of Peace Negotiations Near at Hand.**

London.—The Irish peace negotiations seem to have reached a point where their success or failure should be determined within a few days. It is understood that the government officials have proposed a new compromise, the terms of which are calculated both to placate Ulster and to satisfy Sinn Fein.

## SIX SUBJECTS UP FOR CONSIDERATION OF DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

**Conference Was Two Weeks Old Nov. 26. Up to that time, the following subjects had been taken up and are at present under discussion by committees and sub-committees.**

- 1—Naval reduction.
- 2—China.
- 3—Land disarmament.
- 4—Aircraft.
- 5—Use of poison gas in war.
- 6—Revision of rules of war.

## Filipino Laborers Go To Hawaii

Manila, P. I.—More than 1,000 Filipino laborers will leave for Hawaii within the next few weeks, according to information given out by the bureau of labor. It was stated at the bureau that many laborers apply daily for work, the majority of them desiring to go to the sugar cane fields of the Hawaiian Islands. The laborers who have already signed contracts will be taken to Honolulu in groups, the first contingent leaving late this month.

## Princess Mary to Wed Earl

London.—Princess Mary, the only daughter of King George and Queen Mary, is to wed the Viscount Lascelles, eldest son of the Earl of Harwood, their marriages announced. Viscount Henry George Charles Lascelles has the rank of captain in the Grenadier Guards and was awarded the Distinguished Service Order Medal in 1915 for service in France. He was 40 years old Sept. 3 last. He was in the diplomatic service attached to the British embassy in Rome 1906-1907.

## Items Of Interest in World's News

**Notes Paris Balloonist Is Dead.** Paris.—Alfred Le Blanc, noted balloonist and aviator, died here after a long illness. In 1907 he finished second in the James Gordon Bennett cup balloon race at St. Louis.

**Hear Watson Charges December 8.** Washington.—The special senate committee to investigate charges by Senator Watson, Democrat, of Georgia, that American soldiers were hanged illegally in France, fixed December 8 for the first hearing.

**Canadian Rail Rate Reduced.** Montreal.—A general reduction of 10 per cent from the freight rate increases allowed last December on all steam railroads under jurisdiction of the Board of Railway Commissioners will take effect December 1.

**Harding Signs Mother Aid Bill.** Washington.—President Harding signed the Sheppard-Towner maternity bill, providing federal funds of approximately \$6,500,000 for dissemination of information concerning maternity and care of children.

**Girls Ban Kisses and Hugs.** South Bend, Ind.—Five hundred high school girls here have taken the pledge to the effect that they will not permit themselves to be kissed or hugged by the boys students. Notes that contain "soft nothings" are also tabooed.

## Carpenter Joins Famous Comedienne

Paris.—The Paris theatrical world has been startled by the announcement that Georges Carpentier will be partner with Mistinguett, the famous comedienne, in the operation of the Casino de Paris, owned by Leon Volterra.

## Conductor Falls Off His Train

Grand Rapids.—Enos Giddis, 43, conductor for the Pennsylvania railroad, was killed when he fell from a passenger train near Stanwood. Members of the crew missed the conductor and went back to search for him. His body was found lying beside the track.

## Continue Soil Survey Tests

East Lansing.—Soil survey experts from 26 states and several provinces of Canada, in session here, decided to continue their work until soil surveys were made in every state in the union and in Canada. Farmers and home-seekers are to be aided in choosing the right kind of land for farm purposes.

## County to Have "Husband Prodder"

Los Angeles.—Creation of the official position of county "husband prodder" has been decided on by the Los Angeles county board of supervisors. The duty of the "husband prodder" will be to collect from delinquents who have been ordered by the "failure to provide" court to support their wives or children.

## Says Singer Shunned Motherhood

New York.—Geraldine Farrar, the grand opera singer, refused to become a mother, according to Harry Steinfield, attorney for Lou Tellegen. This is Tellegen's main reason. Steinfield said, for the actor bringing a suit for legal separation. Steinfield said the singer believed motherhood would interfere with her career.

## Unique Application Lands Job

London.—A Derby employer advertised a vacancy on his staff at \$12 a week. He received 300 applications, among which was one enclosed in an ordinary envelope which had a border marked in red ink. Printed across the top were the words, "As this envelope is unique and stands out from the rest, so does my application." He got the job.

## Railroad King's Widow Dies

St. Paul, Minn.—Mrs. James J. Hill, widow of Paul J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railway, died at her home here following a long illness. Mrs. Hill was 75 years old and had been in failing health since the death of her husband in May, 1918. She will be buried beside her husband on the Hill estate, North Oaks farm, just north of St. Paul.

## Dark Mistakes Wife for Maid

White Plains, N. Y.—Stanley Merrill of Hartford, Conn., insurance agent, is charged by his wife with abandonment and non-support. Mrs. Merrill testified she left her husband in September, 1920, after he had called her husband in September, 1920, after he had called her "Dorothy" when she entered his room in the dark. The maid's name was Dorothy, she said.

## Fear of Maid Causes Suicide

Delmont, Cal.—With a revolver clutched in his hand, C. Frederick Kohl, San Francisco millionaire, was found dead in his room at the Hotel Delmonte here after hotel attaches had heard a shot in the room. Kohl had been in ill health. He is said to have worried recently over a report that Adele Verge, a maid formerly in the employ of the Kohls, who shot him 10 years ago, had gained freedom from a French asylum and returned to this country.

## Dead Man Placed For Jury

Waukegan, Ill.—Among the thirty-six veniremen drawn for service in the Lake county petit jury for Dec. 12 who will be the first called for service in the case against Governor Len Small and Vernon Curtis, Grant Park banker, on a charge of embezzlement of state funds, is a dead man. The name of Arthur Blanchard, who died six months ago, was drawn by Circuit Clerk Lewis O. Brockway. The panel of veniremen just drawn will be the first examined.

## THE AMERICAN LEGION

(Copy for This Department Supplied by the American Legion News Service.)

## MACNIDER, NEW LEGION HEAD

**Mason City (Ia.) Man Is Chosen National Commander of the American Legion.**

"We must build this Legion of ours so big and fine and strong, keep it so clean and straight and American, that when we ask for things for the ex-service man, for the disabled man and for those who are financially disabled our communities will say, 'If the Legion is for it, we are for it.'"

This was the first message of Hanford MacNider to members of the American Legion, following his election as national commander of the organization. Mr. MacNider is the



HANFORD MACNIDER.

**Newly Elected National Commander of the American Legion.**

youngest national commander the Legion has ever had. He is thirty-four years old.

"He is a natural leader of men," say his friends, who have watched him plug his way through Harvard university and who later saw him come out of the World war as a lieutenant colonel with three citations and several decorations.

His military record begins with his service on the Mexican border in 1916 as a first lieutenant with the Second Iowa Infantry. When the United States entered the World war he enrolled at the officers' training camp at Fort Snelling and was sent to France as a provisional second lieutenant in the regular army. In France he was with the Ninth Infantry of the Second division. He was wounded at St. Mihiel.

Mr. MacNider is an investment banker at Mason City, Ia., where he was born. He has been an active Legionnaire and has served as commander of the Iowa state department of the Legion.

## HEAD OF LEGION AUXILIARY

**Mrs. Lowell F. Hobart of Cincinnati Is the New President of the Women's Organization.**

Mrs. Lowell F. Hobart of Cincinnati, the first national president of the American Legion Women's auxiliary, is one of those "war mothers" who served in the great "second army." When her son joined the colors and was sent to Camp Zachary Taylor, Kentucky, she went with him. There



MRS. LOWELL F. HOBART.

**New President of the American Legion Women's Auxiliary.**

she worked daily as a Red Cross supervisor and at night she instructed a class in Red Cross work.

Today Mrs. Hobart is at the head of one of the largest organizations of women in the world. The Legion auxiliary has a membership of about 125,000, having grown from 3,000 in the last year. The organization is composed of mothers, wives, sisters and children of ex-service men.

## Solved.

"Papa," called Willie excitedly; "there's a big black bug on the ceiling!" "All right," replied the parent, engrossed in his newspaper, "just step on it and don't bother me." American Legion Weekly.

## Practice Makes Perfect.

Burns.—That grocer certainly gives light weight. I bet he was a profiteer during the war.

Stern.—Oh, no, he was mess sergeant in my outfit.—American Legion Weekly.

## Carrying On With the American Legion

Lemuel Bolles of Seattle, Wash., has been elected national adjutant of the American Legion for his third term.

Yellow Medicine is the tenth county in Minnesota to make "American Legion Day" a regular event of its county fair.

"The Pajama Gazette" is the name of a publication edited by the disabled soldiers of Asbury hospital at Minneapolis, Minn.

"Say it with jobs" is the slogan adopted by the American Legion in Chicago in its campaign to aid unemployed ex-service men.

The bodies of Gunmar Dahl and David Thor, "pals," killed in France by the same shell, were buried in the same grave in their native Illinois town.

New Orleans will be the scene of the 1922 national convention of the American Legion. The Southern city guaranteed \$400,000 for defraying expenses of the meeting.

Mayor Hoan of Milwaukee, Wis., has vetoed a resolution of the city council endorsing the work of the American Legion in finding positions for jobless ex-service men.

A monumental building to be erected in Washington in memory of the National Guardsmen who gave their lives in the World war, has been suggested by Maj. Gen. George C. Rickards, chief of the militia bureau of the War department.

The growth of the American Legion is shown by the organization of 1,050 new posts in 1920-21. Many new posts were organized by American ex-service men in foreign countries and today the sun never sets on the American Legion.

The daisy has been adopted by the American Legion as its official flower. The poppy, which has been popular with Legionnaires because of its association with Flanders, was voted out because it was not an American flower and could not be obtained in large quantities.

The employment of jobless ex-service men to assist the police in combating the holdup men has been begun in Lincoln, Neb. The plan was evolved following a series of robberies in the residential district of the city. The mayor and chief of police of Lincoln have endorsed the plan.

Following a reception for him at Kansas City, staged by 50,000 members of the American Legion, Marshal Foch, who came to America as the Legion's guest, declared that although Washington and New York were the head of the United States he was certain Kansas City was the heart.

The original post of the American Legion, George Washington Post No. 1, lost no time in signing Marshal Foch as a member. The generalissimo was met at the station at Washington, D. C., on the day of his arrival in America and presented with a membership card and a ceremonial badge of the Legion.

Marshal Foch is now a devotee of the corn-cob pipe. When his special train was stopped at Washington, Mo., on its way to Kansas City, he was presented with a box of the Missouri product. Later, while he was attending the American Legion convention, he was offered a cigar, but he declined in favor of the corn-cob "tuturne."















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Dress gingham ..... 15c	Brown & Black. .22c	15 to ..... 69c
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Cretonnes. .22, 23 and 25c		Pocket books ..... \$1 up to \$3.50
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Percale ..... 20c		Men's shoes. \$6 and \$6.50
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Silk taffeta \$1.98 & \$2.69		Black sateen shirts. .99c
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All Linen. .... 27c		Men's ..... 98c
Thread ..... 6c		Girl's blue middies. \$5.00
Hdkfs. Men's ..... 6 for 25c		Girl's red middies. \$5.45
Men's Sox. .... 2 for 25c		Girl's green middies \$5.45
Ladies' hdkf. .... 3 for 10c		Call and see them.
Sansilk ..... 3 for 25c		One small lot of silk velvet hats \$4.85 for
Night gowns ..... 95c		Red, brown and black.
A new line men's overcoats, late models for young men. \$18.00	Men's ties \$1.00 values 75c	
One lot specials, late models. \$24.85	One heavy mackinaw, lambs wool lined \$18.85	
A few duck coats, flannel lined. \$3.98	Specials in men's gloves. Call and see them.	Feathered hats \$6 & \$7.85 values \$4.45
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### NOTICE

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of money secured by a mortgage dated the 13th day of April, A. D. 1916, executed by John Gross and Kate Gross, his wife, then of the Village of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to Marius Hanson of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan in Liber F of Mortgages on page 230 on the 8th day of November, 1921, at 2 o'clock P. M.

AND WHEREAS the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of two hundred eighty five and 27-100ths dollars and the further sum of fifteen dollars, as statutory attorney fee and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling in said County of Crawford, that being the place wherein is held the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, which said premises are described as follows, to wit:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate and being in the Village of Grayling in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit: Lots One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Six, Seven and Eight and being entire Block Two of Block Addition to the Village of Grayling as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan.

Marius Hanson, Mortgagee.

Dated November 21st 1921.

Geo. L. Alexander, Attorney for Mortgagees. 11-24-13.

### MORTGAGE SALE.

WHEREAS, default has been made in payment of money secured by mortgage dated November 8, 1915, executed by John N. Bauer and Josephine Bauer, his wife, to Roscommon State Bank, a corporation, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crawford County, Michigan in Liber 1 of Mortgages on pages 159, 160 and 161 on November 10th, 1915, and

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at date hereof including \$51.15 taxes plus interest paid by mortgagee is \$548.40 and \$25 attorney fee provided by statute which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage; and

WHEREAS, proceedings have been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained therein has become operative;

THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, in said County of Crawford on January 27, 1922, at one o'clock in the afternoon; which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

The South Half of the Southeast Quarter and the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of section twenty-six township twenty-five north, range two west, South Branch township, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated November 3, 1921.

Roscommon State Bank, Mortgagee.

Hiram R. Smith, Attorney for Mortgagee. Business Address: Roscommon, Michigan. 11-3-13.

### NOTICE.

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land herein described:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County of Crawford, of the full amount paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of land: State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of Block 6, 2nd Addition to Portage Lake Park. Amount paid \$5.00. Tax for year 1917.

Claud Gilson, Place of Business Grayling, Mich.

To Gustave Ulrich, Freeport, Illinois, last grantee in the regular chain title of said lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

I Do Hereby Certify and Return, that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the 26th day of October, 1921, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Herman E. Koenig, the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service on the 26th day of October, 1921, and that I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of such grantee, mortgagee, or assignee upon the foregoing described land.

Ernest P. Richardson, Sheriff of said County. My fees \$50. 11-10-4.

### NOTICE

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Description of land: State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

Lots 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 of block 7, 2nd Addition to Portage Lake Park. Amount paid \$5.84. Tax for year 1915.

Lots 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 of block 7, 2nd Addition to Portage Lake Park. Amount paid \$4.91. Tax for year 1916.

Lots 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 of block 7, 2nd Addition to Portage Lake Park. Amount paid \$5.62. Tax for year 1917.

Claud Gilson, Place of Business Grayling, Mich.

To Emma Schantz, Chicago, Ill., last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

I Do Hereby Certify and Return, that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the twenty-fifth day of October, 1921, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Emma Schantz, the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service on the 25th day of October, 1921, and that I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of the executor, administrator, trustee or guardian of such grantee, mortgagee, or assignee upon the foregoing described land.

Ernest P. Richardson, Sheriff of said County. My fees \$5 cents. 11-10-4.

### Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS default has been made in the payment of money secured by a mortgage dated the 4th day of October, 1914, executed by Ausable River Fruit Company, a corporation, of Bay City, Michigan, to Alice J. Shaver of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, in Liber I of Mortgages page 297, on the 26th day of July, 1921,

AND WHEREAS the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of \$1819.00 and the further sum of \$35.00 as statutory attorney fee and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling in said County of Crawford, that being the place wherein is held the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, which said premises are described as follows:

The west half (W 1/2) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) and the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) all in section twenty (20) town twenty-seven (27) North Range four (4) West, situate in the township of Frederic, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated October 10, 1921.

Alice J. Shaver, Mortgagee.

Coumans & Gaffney, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address: Bay City, Michigan. 10-13-13.

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GEORGE SORENSON  
Judge of Probate.

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Claud Gilson, Place of Business Grayling, Mich.

To Gustave Ulrich, Freeport, Illinois, last grantee in the regular chain title of said lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

I Do Hereby Certify and Return, that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the 26th day of October, 1921, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Herman E. Koenig, the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service on the 26th day of October, 1921, and that I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of such grantee, mortgagee, or assignee upon the foregoing described land.

Ernest P. Richardson, Sheriff of said County. My fees \$50. 11-10-4.

Place of Business: Bloomington, Michigan. Dated October 1st, A. D. 1919.

J. D. W. Adams and Lena Adams, Mortgagees. Consignees under the

grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service on the 26th day of October, 1921, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Herman E. Koenig, the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service on the 26th day of October, 1921, and that I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of such grantee, mortgagee, or assignee upon the foregoing described land.

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Ernest P. Richardson, Sheriff of said County. My fees \$50. 11-10-4.

Place of Business: Bloomington, Michigan. Dated October 1st, A. D. 1919.

J. D. W. Adams and Lena Adams, Mortgagees. Consignees under the

last recorded deed, in the regular chain of title to said land.

Proof of Failure of Service.

State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

I do Hereby Certify and Return, that after making careful inquiry and search I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of D. W. Adams and Lena Adams, or any heirs, Executor, Administrator or Trustee of said D. W. Adams and Lena Adams. I further certify that this notice was delivered to me for service on the 13th day of October 1919.

My fees, \$2.20.

Ernest P. Richardson, Sheriff of said County. November 17th, 1919.

State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

Returned and filed with me this 28th day of November A. D. 1919.

Frank Sales, County Clerk. 11-24-13.

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